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R. RADECKER. Office-No 2, Stanley Street. Hongkong, January 1, 1869,

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Sporting Gear of all kinds, Shooting Coats and Boots. Racing and other Saddlery and

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Publisher. Penang, December 1, 1868.

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Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at iow rates constantly on hand or baked quantities at short notice. Also Nater, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISULITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Sale C.

easus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messrs MacEwen & Co.'s will receive prompt attention.

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

## Auctions

H. B. M. Gunboats "HARDY" and O DRAKE" will be

COLD BY AUCTION at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on TUESDAY,

the 9th February, 1869, (unless previously disposed of by private agreement). The Hurdy is of 233 tone and 60 h. power. The Drake ,, 238,

The following are the articles to be sol with each vessel, viz:-With the "Hardy." Hull complete. No masts or yards. 2 Anchors. 1124 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete, with Iron Stanchions. Davits for 2 Boats.

1 Dingy, 14 feet. 4 Oars and Awning. 2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete) A pair of 30 Horse Power high pressure engines by Mesars, MAUDSLAY, SONS AND FIELD, in fair working order. A set of 3 boilers, considerably worn but repairable.

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TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7. 1. All lots, with all faults and errors description, at Purchaser's risk on

Hongkong, December 28, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Administrator Estate of the late CURSETTEE BUR-JOJEE WADIA, deceased, to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY,

the 6th day of January, 1869, at 12 o'clock, on the premises,-The GROUNDS, MESSUAGES and PREMISES situate in Hollywood Road (a short distance to the westward of Messra De Souza's Printing Office, known as section A of Inland Lot No. 55.

Immediately after, will be sold on the Premises, the GROUNDS, MESSUA GES and PREMISES, situate in Hollywood Road, Taipingshan, (a short dist ance to the westward of the Chinese Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, Temple) known as Inland Lot No. 256

> For further particulars, apply to Indersigned. TERMS OF SALE One-half of

purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer, the expenses which to be paid by the purchaser. Property to be at the risks of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, December 26, 1868. jan6

## · Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

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VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation. No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, June 17, 1868

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Hongkong, September 1, 1868. mar10

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BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA. THE Company's Steamship "IMPERA-TRICE," Commandant MACAIRE, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and

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> OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. O. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, December 28, 1868.

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PACIFIC MAIL STEXM-SHIP COMPANY

THROUGH U. S. MALL LINE TO NEW YORK. HE Steamer China, Capt. E. R. WAISAR will be despatched for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 16th January, 1869. A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohama

with above-named steamer. Passengers ticketed through to California.
Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Pa

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Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round - Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," " West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company,"

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## Shipping.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. The Company's steamer Captain HINSTIN, will be dispatched for Shanghai Monday, the 4th of January, at 9 A.M. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent?

Hongkong, December 31, 1868. STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW. HE P. & O. Co.'s S. S.

will have quick despatch for the above W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, December 28, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAI, The steamer. "TITAU4," will have immediate despatch For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 29, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE. The Brit. Steam-ship "SAKURA," Captain BEAZLEY, will have quick despatch for the above · For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 19, 1869

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FOR H1060. The lat class North German brig PAREN, Master will be despetched on the 1st January.

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FOR NEW YORK. The British barque "GLENDOVEER," Captain Wilson, will load here and at Whampon, and have immediate despatch for the above port, For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

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Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT.) • The British Barque " MELKOSE." Captain KINDRED, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to JOHN BURD & Co.

Hongkong, December 9, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. German barque "ALBATROSS," Capt OUKEN, will have quick despatoù at aboye. For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, December 15, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the " Marie." The British ship Captain Rice, will have early despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

## Natices to Consignees.

Hougkong, December 2, 1868.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take mmediate delivery. Ex. "Houghy," 31st October, 1868. 1 case Arms.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, December 9, 1868,

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H VE this day authorised Mr C.

LANGDON DAVIES to sign my name per

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to the Hongkong Hotel, and I alone am liable to pay for goods supplied upon such I have further authorised Mr Davies to collect all debts due to me on Hotel ac-

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SCHWANBECK & THIEL

Baigon, November 14, 1868. NOTICE. R. C. Eura Bade has been admitted a Partner in our Firm-here and at Shanghai from the 1st October, 1868, EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

Hongkong, December 5, 1868.

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SHARES Nos. 205, 206 and 207, have been placed in the hands of the Society GEORG WILHELM SCHWEMANN and of For SALE. Sealed Tenders for purchase of the same, marked "Tender for Share " will be received until Friday, 15th January, 1869.

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VV Office, in the course of three weeks, fire. the Report of the Commission of Enquiry into the PENANG RIOTS, together with the Proceedings of the Committee, Evi

register their orders without delay at the fall of the hammer. 'China Mail" Office in Hongkong, as but a limited number of the Report will be for

The Report will occupy about 150 Foolscap folio pages, enclosed in a neat wrapper and will be sold at the rate of \$3 for single copy and a reduction of 50 cents upon each additional copy purchased. L. T. DE MELLO,

Penang, December 1, 1868.

HE Undersigned baying PURCHASEI the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAD BARBRY," begs to notify the Public of Hongto furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD as section A of Inland Lot No. 55. in various forms, to any part of the Co-

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at iow inter constantly on hand or baked. quantities at short notice.

BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA; Sale. C. ratus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR of bost Brands constantly on

hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or CAKE of all kinds baked to order. of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders | tion of the deeds of transfer, the expenses forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at

Mesers MacEwen & Co.'s will receive prompt attention. L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

## Auctions

H. B. M. Cunboats " HARDY" and " DRAKE" will be

CICLD BY AUCTION at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on

## TUESDAY,

the 9th February, 1869, (unless previously disposed of by private agreement). The Hardy is of 233 tons and 60 h. power. The Drake , 238 The following are the articles to be so

with each vessel, viz :-With the " Hardy." Hull complete. No masts or yards. 2 Anchors. 1124 Fathoms Cable.

Awnings complete, with Iron Stan-Davits for 2 Boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet.

4 Dars and Awning. 2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete). A pair of 30 Horse Power high pressure engines by Messrs. MAUDSLAY, SONS AND FIELD, in fair working order. A set of 3 Bank. boilers, considerably worn but repairable.

Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No. Cross Head. Eccentric Ring, .... Piston and Roc, ... 1 Propeller (brass), Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ... 1 Bilge do. do. ... 1

Guide blocks, With the " Drake;" Masts complete. Yards Rigging do. 1 Anchor. 100 Fathoms Cable. Awnings complete. Davits for 3 boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet.

2 Oars. 2 Downton's Pamps. All standing Sails, but square foresail. A 40 Horse Power high pressure engine by Messrs, PENN AND Sons, in good work-

Spare Gear. Cylinder over, ... 1 in Ne. Eccentric Ring (brass),... Piston. Plumber block brasses, 1 pair. Propeller (brass), ... ... 1 in No. Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ... ...

very reasonable rates. Naval Storekeeper.

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

of Lieut, Col. HIGHT, Spring Gardens, on TUESDAY,

Sundry Household FURNITURE and FFFECTS, the property of that Gentleman and of other Officers who are leaving the Colony, say-

Wardrobes, Writing Desks, Tables Sideboards, New Rugs, Crockery, Glassware, etc., etc.

That Splendid Bay Arab Charger be-TERMS OF SALE, -Cash before delivery

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Administrator of the Estate of the late CURSETJEE BUR-JOJEE WADIA, deceased, to sell by Public

the 6th day of January, 1869, at 12 o'clock, on the premises,-The GROUNDS, MESSUAGES and PREMISES situate in Hollywood Road (a short distance to the westward of kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared | Messrs De Souza's Printing Office, Known

Immediately after, will be sold on the Premises, the GROUNDS, MESSUA-GES and PREMISES; situate in Holly-Also Vater, Butter, Soda and Sugar wood Road, Taipingshan, (a short distance to the westward of the Chinese Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, Temple) known as Inland Lot No. 256

For further particulars, apply to the

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

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ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS O DOLLARS.

Chairman, -George John Hecland, Esq. Denuty Chairman-Gro. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FORBES, ESQ. JAMES B. TAYLOR, A. JOORT, Esq.

WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNGANSON, JULIUS MENKE ESQ. RICHARD ROWETT, ESq.

VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Hongkong, .... Chref Manager. BAVID MACLEAN, Esq.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits .-For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. 4 per cent. ,, o per cent. LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India,

VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation. No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1868

Australia, America, China and Japan.

Thornycroft PLATE, and Sheet IRON, BAR, ROD, Augle IRON and RIVETS. The boilers of this vessel have been taken | Double Shear, Spring and Blister STEEL, in round, square and flat bars. Bubbits METAL, Muntz Yellow METAL, Copper PLATES, Rods and Pipes. Gas FITTINGS of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pressure GUAGES. FILES, PACKING and all kinds of Engineer's Supplies.

## HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

ANE CRAWFORD & Co. have been favored with instructions to by Public Auction at the Quarters

5th January, 1869, at Noon,-

WILL be published at the "Argus" longing to Lieut. Col. Hight. Stands CARGO, Sunday, January the 3rd, 1869,

All lots, with all faults and errors Intending Subscribers are requested to description, at Purchaser's risk on the

Hongkong, December 28, 1868.

For Particulars regarding Freight and Auction, on

# WEDNESDAY,

Undersigned. TERMS OF SALE .- One-half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of The above is under the Superintendence | the hammer, and the balance on compleof which to be paid by the purchaser. Property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, December 26, 1868. jan6

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet COURT OF DIRECTORS. -

SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.

E. R. BELLIOS, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS. -- London and County AN Current Deposit Accounts at the rate

and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

FOR SALE AT EAST POINT. Complete assortment of Lowmoor and - RÚSSELL & Co.

# SAIL-MAKING.

Hongkong, September 1, 1868. mar10

LAWCETT & Co, having secured the services of an experienced Sail-Maker, are prepared to MAKE or REPAIR SAILS at Hongkong, December 10, 1868.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS, STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA; POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA,

MARSEILLES. BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship "IMPERA-TRICE," Commandant MACAIRE, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and of accepted in transit through Aiarseilles for the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until P.M. of the 2nd Instant, Specie and oja Parcels until o. P.M. of the 2nd Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

> Passage, apply at the Company's office Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALU. OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY. THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. HE Steamer China, Capt. E. R. WAISAR, will be despatched for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 16th January, 1869 A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohama

with above-usined steamer. Passengeraticketed through to California Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Pa nama and Aspinwall.

Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of . Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And at New York, with the various lines to Europe Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steam-

Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports! of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cen-

tral and South America to as far as Valpa-

raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

# shipping.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA-RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. The Company's steamer Captain HINSTIN, will be dispatched for Shanghai Monday, the 4th of January, at 9 A.M. C. BERTRAND,

Hongkong, December 31, 1868. STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW. HEP. & O. Co.'s S. S.

Principal Agent.

will have quick despatch for the above W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, December 28, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAL

The steamer . FTITAUA," will have immediate despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 29, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE. The Brit. Steam-ship "SAKURA," Captain BEAZLEY, will have quick despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 19, 1868

RUSSELL & Co.

## Shipping.

FOR HIOGO. The 1st class North German brig "HIERONIMUS," RABEN, Master, will be despeatched on the 1st January. For Freight, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong, December 23, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American barque W. F. SEYMOUR, Master, will

have quick despatch for the For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, December 28, 1868, FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER The British Barque

472 Tons Register. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hougkong, December 26, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK. The British barque "GLENDOVEER." Captain Wilson, will load here and at Whampon, and have immediate despatch for the above port.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, December 23, 1868. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.

Capt. Costrum, will have quick despatch for the above ports. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

The Dutch barque

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT.) The British Barque " MELKOSE," Captain KINDRED, will have quick despatch as above. quick despatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. German barque. "ALBATROSS," Capt. Ouken, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, December 15, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO, To follow the " Marie." Captain Rice, will have early despatch for the above port. The British ship

RUSSELL & Co.

l case Arms:

C. BERTRAND,

Principal Agent.

## Hougkong, December 2, 1868.

A tices to tensignees. HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex " Hoogly," 31st October, 1868.

## Hongkong, December 9, 1868. Aotices of Firms

NOTICE, IME Interest and Responsibility of Mr 1. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pin, Mr WILLIAM NISBET CLASTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868,

H VE this day authorised Mr C. LANGDON DAVIES to sign my name per rocuration to all orders for goods supplied to the Hongkong Liotel, and I alone am table to pay for goods supplied upon such

collect all debts due to me on Hotel account, for which his receipt will be a sufficient discharge. LEE AFOONG. Hongkong, December 1, 1868.

I have further authorised Mr Davies to

1. R. C. J. H. Schroder, is authorised to Il sign our Firm per procuration, from SCHWANBECK & THIEL, Saigon, November 14, 1868. tf

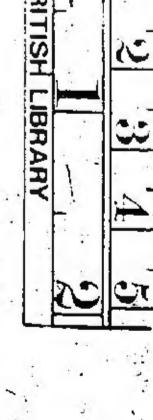
NOTIGE, R. C. EMIL BADE has been admitted a Partner in our Firm here and at Shanghai from the 1st October, 1868. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hougkong, December 5, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTA C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

Mr CLAUS BUDY-

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### Post-Office Notifications.

be as follows, viz:--

### Via SOUTHAMPTON.

Under 4 ounce, - - - 12 cents. Aboye 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - - 24 ... Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - - 36 Above 12 ounce and not ex--cecting-16 ounces,---- 48 For every additional 4 oz., Under 4 ounce, - -16 cents, Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - 32 Above 8 ounce and not ex-

For every additional 4 oz., 16 Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory F.W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

ceeding 16 ounce, - - 64

reeding, 12 описе, - - - 48

Above 12 onnce and not ex-

General Post Office. Hongkong June 18 1868.

Steam-slip Company, for the Conveyance of Mails once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and Natal, having terminated, the correspondence for Mauritius will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each

2. No alteration has been made in the rates of Postage, on correspondence ad dressed to Mauritius.

3. As the communication with Natal and the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, the correspondence for those Colonies, unless marked to be forwarded by Private Ship will in future, be sent in the Mails for Libidon at the following rates of Postage which must be paid in advance, viz :-

Upon Letters sent by way of Southampton, .... 46 cents each | oz. When sent by way of

Marseilles, ..... 54 Newspaper via Southamptongerenterbenerater 4 in was Newspapers via Marseil-

Book Packets via South-

oz 20 cents, above 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz and 20 cents for every additional 8 oz.

Book Packets via Marseilles, 14 cents under 4 oz ; 28 cents above for and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 28 cents for every additional 8 ounces,

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, 9th September, 1868.

1. - Un the 1st October next, and thenceforward. Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at. Shalighal and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz.

For sums not exceeding £2,..........12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,...24 2:-No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny.

3.—Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoke hama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued the time of their presentation.

4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United King dom, shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of and Yokohama

5. Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least the initial of one Christian name, both of The Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, usual designation of such firm, such as Baring Brothers" will suffice ; but mere term Mesars., such as "Mesars. Ri vington," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of he names of the persons composing it, such as, "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

6. The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to to. have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Obsques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank. When an Order is presented through

Banki'a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in the employ of such Bank.

8. The signature of the Payee of a Mod the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Vesney Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the receipt by making his mark in the presence Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to of a Witness, who must sign his name, with admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and his address in the presence of the Officer drawing 22 feet of water. who pays the Order.

desire to receive payment in the Country in Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. which the Order was issued, at some other The Company have also opened a Ship-Office than that in which the Order was ori yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, winally drawn, the transfer will be granted, and are ready to contract for the construcprovided the Onler be inclosed to the Posturaster of the Office in which it was Postmaster of the Commission chargeable upon Docks, in which they will take Ships at Detached and Semi-detached which will be deducted from the amount of reddeed rates.

the new Order. 10. Alm the event of a Money Order can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or mistariying of being lost, a duplicate will berth them at reasonable rates. be gradted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the

## Post-Office Aotifications.

T is hereby notified for general informa- of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed tion that henceforward the Postage Order. The additional Commission in the chargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns | last case will be deducted from the amount addressed to the United States of America of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be transmitted via the United Kingdom will presented with the application for a new

> 12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Itemitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that's Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have retereuce to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the mount of the New Order.

13.-Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14. -Payment of an Order must be ob tained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed, It is hereby notified for general in- and a new Crder (for which a second Comformation that the Contract between the inission, to be deducted from the amount Government of Mauritius and the Union of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order he not paid before and of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

16. -After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer Post Office, the Postmaster General Country or Colony in which the negligedce occurs will, if he see ht, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received, 18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19 .- Should it appear that Money Orders | Life are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hong kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

By Command, F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

## Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st March next and will be payable at the office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary

Hongkong, December 1, 1868 marl FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED DOCK.

HE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out For further particulars as to the price of

coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to TI D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messra De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Mesers Boyn & Co., Shanghai ; or to the Undersigned. In connection with the above is the

dowerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application

JOHN C. SKEY, Pagoda Auchorage, River Min.

THE UNION DOCK C MPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

THE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels. to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampon, for

zels of all classes. At Hongkong the Company have the Payee be unable to write he must sign the only Dock in the harbour, - a! Granite

Attached to it there are Shipwrights. Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery 9. Should the Payee of a Money Order works, and everything necessary for the

The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

tion of Steamers or Sailing Vescels of any

For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS,

errengkong, October 10, 1868,

Acting Secretary. Or to A. D. MITCHELL Manager of Works. Company a Office, H. kong Hotel Building

### Insurances

OCEAN MARINE INBURANCE COMPANY. LOEDON. Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000.000. Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pre pared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.A

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Mosses. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. IVOR MURRAY,

ESTABLISHED 1838.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo sals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

> LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

## (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING. HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Torms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be reeived, and transmitted to the Directors or their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of procosals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton, Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

> LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

L'ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz: Not exceeding

t of the Annual Rate. one month ... Aboye 1 month and not exceeding three ( 2

Above 3 m'tha and not exceeding months,.... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate

шопсия, ....

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein,

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co.

HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsul and KELUNG, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-ANOE at current rates. DODD & Co.

Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, HE Undersigned having been appointed Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. L'ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate

Above I month and not exceeding 3,... } Above 3 months and Above 6 months,.... the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868;

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. I INTIL further notice the following An-U nual Rates will be charged for Fire

Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents, per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

Contenta, i. per cent. Godowna, Officia, Shops, de. and their Contents, . 1 per cent GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865,

insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBER 4 CO'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached from Town, and their Con!

per centa Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, per cent per annum.

Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. per cent GILMAN & Co., Agents North British and Mercantile

Insurance Company, Hongkong, March 9, 1866. NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE - INSURANCE/COMPANY ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-

d of the annual rate. Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3) months. bove 3 months, and not exceeding 6

Above 6 months. the full Annual rate Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament, ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same,

GILMAN & Co Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company a Hongkoog, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurancea at current rates. HOLKIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding I month, 1 per cent. Above I month and not exceeding 3 months, & Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 ..... 4 Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868,

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5,000. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868;

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are

prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-

RATION HE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, 1 per cent. Three months. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:and not exceeding three

months, ....

Above 3 m'the and not exceeding six ( \* " months, .... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868, THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against

Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein," MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co, Hougkong, May 20, 1868,

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Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

TO HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

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Above I month and not exceeding 3 months, & do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, ..... do. . the full annual rate MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company

Hongkong, May 20, 1868, MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,

SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

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Hongkong, August 9 1867.

GUARDIAN. ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

> ESTABLISHED 1821. CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents of the above Company for

Hongkong and Canton, are prepared grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT, ( ) perCent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters,

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No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement. Premiuns payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a per-

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ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864,

AMICABLE INSURANUE OFFICE. HE Undersigned having been a prointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE; are prepared to accept Marine SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-Not exceeding to the Annual Rate. | Risks, and issue Policies on any first class | ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG, terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, OFLONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864,

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ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY, THE following Rates will be charged in NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY, future for short period Insurances, viz :--Not exceeding One } Month.

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Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

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LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 was previously required by the Board.

ROB. S. WALLER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000, ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

MHE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE Policies can be made payable at all the RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Ex-FECTS, therein contained,

In cases of DWELLING-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of Une per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged ; and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to Une-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings

and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. per cent.

Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents, per cent. First Class China House and their Contents. le per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, November 9, 1866. IANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent, has been declared on the net Premia contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September,

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, September 8, 1868. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policles against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and

GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE . COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named COMPANY are prepared to grant Policies against SEARISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSUCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London,

New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai, In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (10) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount o premium paid by each policy-holder.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. MHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insul-ANCE COMPANY are, prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the correct FUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

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Macao, August 4. 1866. DE COSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA.

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Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1866.

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kong on the First of January, those destring his services will address him at

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HOUSE, SHIP, & STEAM-BOAT COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane. Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

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Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

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Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended: .....\$40.

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W. PATERSON Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

PATERSON & HANDLEY, House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zinc Workers, and Gas Eitters, 16, Queen's Eoad West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West. Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

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THE Undersigned, being about to close their business at this port, are now offering the whole of their "Immense Stock at LOST PRICE. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, December 3, 1868.

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HESSE & Co.

Hongkong, June 19, 1868. For Sale

PAYNE AND COMPANY BELATER BUNGALOW,

RHTABLISH ED HALF A CENTURY WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEPOT. FOR THE BALE OF THEIR BENOWNED Chutnies and Indian Condiments

.. Bengal Club Chutney Lucknow Chutney. Per hhd. £25. Cashinere Chutney Per doz. qts. 30s Pindaree Chutney Per doz. pts. 21s Col. Skinner's O'ney Major Gray's C'ney Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel, Mulligatawnee Paste

Per doz. qts. 80s Curry Paste Curry Powder Per lb. Tamarind Fish, 100 slices in barrel Tamarind Fish Rose | gal. square. Mangoe Fish Roses Smoked Mangoe Fish.

Chili Vinegar . Cayenne Pepper Per bottle. JAMS AND JELLIES 2-lb. tins 1-lb. tins. Guava Jelly Tipparee Jam Preserved Limes P'erved Mangoes Pine Apple Jelly Pres've

Pickled Limes Bael Preserve Bengal Humps is 6d per lb N. B .- Chutmes, Curry Powders, an Pastes, shipped in bulk, to any quarter of Payne and Co.,

Have always on hand a large Stock of superior MANILA CIGARS; of all sizes. Terms: Remittance, or reference in Cal cutta, to accompany order. For orders over £25, 20 per cent discoun will be allowed, all Goods free on board i

FOR SALE

AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE THE following SETS of the "CHIN. PUNOH" can be obtained, stitched in gaper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cent

Also a few separate copies of Nos.1, 3, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24 C. A. SAINT.

FOR SALE. VELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and Nails. Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, September 15, 1868. FOR SALE.

MANICA HARD WOOD. Consisting of: MOLAVES. being BANABAS. ARANGAS. And other descriptions. LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, August 11, 1868. COCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE, in 2 Volumes, by Revd. Justus DOOLITTLE, is For Sale at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghal Hongkong, March 20, 1868.

FOR SALE.

THE New Superior Manila CIGAL cases of 200 each. BIELFELD AND ZACHARIAE. Hongkong, November 9, 1868. JUST RECEIVED. Ex "Great Republic. NDERSON'S Solace TOBACCO. Ex " Mail Steamer."

Amber MOUTHPIECES.

Cherrywood STEMS. CIGARHOLDERS. Ex "Salve." Superior Cavite CIGARS. BIELFELD & ZACHARLÆ Hongkong, August 4, 1868. FOR SALE. THE following WINES, &c., of superior

quality in lots to suit purchasers :--Edgene Clicquot dry CHAMPAGNE in Pints and Quarts. Sillery Mousseux, CHAMPAGNE, A. de Luze & Fils CLARETS, Pints and

Villanyi CLARET, Quarts. BURGUNDY. Liebfrauenmilch. Rudesheimer, HOCK. Fleur de Moselle, Superior Old PORT in 1 dozen cases. Superior dry Pale SHERRY in 1 and dozen cases. Bass' ALE, Quarts and Pints, Barclay's STOUT, Quarts and Pints.

Apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868. FOR SALE, THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messre

SMITH KENNEDY & Co.

Hennessy BRANDY in 1 dozen cases.

A. de Luze & Fils Brandy in 1 dozen

For forther particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867. ATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY ,, 8 ,, PORT , 2 CLARET , 1

BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, April 9, 1867. STEAM COALS. For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board, NGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley.

Davisson's West Hartley, Straker's West Hartley. WELSH-Bleengware Marthyr. Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, March 16, 1866.

For Sale.

DE SOUZA'S DIARY FOR 1869. IIIL be published on 15th November This DIARY has a large circulation in

Hongkong, and in all the Coast Ports, and also in Japan. Advertisements for the DIARY will be received until the 31st. October, at the Office of the Undersigned, Hollywood Road. Terms: \$10 per page, on the covers; for the inside, \$6 per page. Parts of the page

DE SOUZA & Co Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

COALS. HE Undersigned are prepared to Coal Steamers on the most reasonable terms from a Cargo of English Steam Coals now affoat in this Harbour or from fresh Welsh and Australian Coals in Store. RUB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkon . September 22, 1868.

FOR SALE. Just Received. Barrels PORTLAND CEMENT. FREDERIC DEGENAER. 3. d'Aquilar Street. Hougkong, September 12, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex S.S. "TIGRE. FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ \$ Apply to

G. DUBOST & Co.

Hongkong, August 31, 1868. FOR SALE. OALS suitable for Household purposes. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, October 8, 1868.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. MUMM & Co.'s HOCK & MOSLELE, ots, and pts. Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT. CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY. WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSOPP'S ALE, draught and bottle. BAROLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT. BRIDGES & SONE PORTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong November 20, 1867.

FOR SALE. 50 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality, 100 cases SHERRY. 100 , PORT. MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868,

NEW BOOK, HE Speculations of The Old Philosopher'

author: Price \$1.

LAU-TSZE." Translated from the Chinese JOHN CHALMERS, A.M. Price \$1.50.

"The Origin of the Chinese" by the same

Apply at Mesers Lane, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, October 17, 1868. FOR SALE. DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com-MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

The London Mission House.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868. FOR SALE, WELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivians. JOHN BURD & Co.

Hongkong, April 5, 1867. FOR SALE. 1) ASS'S BEER. D Allsopp's BEER. Devenish & Co's CHAMPAGNE BEEF Guinuess's STOUT. Bridge's PORTER. Porter's Pale India STOUT. Hennessy's BRANDY, Martell's do. French PATTIES and MUSTARD. Imperial PLUMS. OILMAN'S STORES. OI ARS. American TOBACCO.

Queen's Road. Hongkong, October 31, 1808. FOR SALE. UNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and

COMMERCIAL BANK BUILDING. 11 1119

CANVAS, PAINT OIL, RED LEAD

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer & General Commission

II NAILS. Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Keel PLATES, 121bs, and 13lb, with NAILS. Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, June 14, 1867,

JUST RECEIVED. EX "DUNMAIL," Etc.

TIME JUICE, in 5 Gallon Jars. Guinness's STOUT in pints and Draught BEER in hogsheads and kilderkins. White Trowsers DUCK. BOWRA & Co.

FOR SALE, SMALL Lot of Superior Old PORT A WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto.
Fine Dry MADEIRA. Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC. Various Superior Hungarian WINES. WM. FUSTAU & Co. Rongkong, August 6, 1867.

Hongkong, June 11, 1868,

LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, June 15, 1868,

FOR SALE. QEST Keelung COAL: D Apply to

Hongkong, Angust 15, 1867. NOTICE, NOTICE, R. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE procuration, at Foochow from this date.

BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

Iso of income NOTICE.

Add AVE established myself at this port as

Leo General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER & Co. or Selfford Forbes Parker.

is Saigon December 20, 1867.

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PHE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. CAPITAL 2,000,000 DOLLARS,

in 2,000 Shares of 1,000 Dollars each

Consulting Committee: GEORGE F. HEARD, Esq. WM. KAYE, Esq. Bark, Rowerr, Esquare Water S. D. SASSOON; Esq. 1977. Ocheral Manayers, -Messrs Jandine, MATHESON & Continue

Head Office, No. 39, Queen's Road.

HE HONGRONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, which expires by effluxion of time in a few months, having proved a lighly successful undertaking, it has been determined by a large number of its shareholders to form a permanent Company tildet the same management and

increased Capital The is proposed to register the Company under the Limited/ Liability Ordinance, and the amount of the Capital having been fixed at Two Millions of Dollars, it is considered that insurers will be amply secured thereby, while at the same time each shareholder, will know the extent of his individual liability. The capital proposed to be called up amounts to a large sum; and provision will be made for the creation of an ample Reserve Fund, which will, it is expected, dhila very short time accumulate to an amount practically to give the fullest security both to Insurers and Insured, irrespec-

tive of the unpaid Capital. tion of the Old Company, by dissolving it from and after the 31st December next, and measures are being taken for that purpose. In anticipating a successful career for the New Company, it is only necessary to present to the public the results of the Old Company since, its establishment in May 1866, as exhibited by the following figures:-

The total premiums collected from the 11th May 1866 to the present time, a period of only two years and five months, amount to ......\$304,727-72 The losses which have been

paid within the same period have amounted to ...... \$130,081.22 and include the large sum of \$85,270 lost by the Fire at Hongkong in Nov. 1867. The amount powat the Credit o of the Working Account,

after paying all Expenses and Re-insurances to date, These figures fully warrant the most sanguine expectations of success, and it is but reusonable to expect that, strengthened

with larger Capital, the present undertaking cannot fail to prove at least as successfu as the former one. The Old Company when it entered the field, had to create business for itself, but the New one in taking over the outstanding risks and connections of the Old Company, will stronce receive a very large amount of premium, and enter on a profitable and organised business. Moreover, there is no doubt that the risk of Fire in Hongkong has been greatly diminished by the Building Regulations now in force, sid by the establishment of a Fire Brigade. ...

The following are the main features the New Company : And Livering A first Call of \$100, to be paid upor each share on allotment, and a further Call of \$100 to be paid in Six Months A A sill further Calls to be determined up at General Meetings of the shareholds 2. Interest at 12 per cent per annum to in the first instance allowed on the paid up Capital such Interest to be payable half-yearly, on 30th June, and 30th December. The profits after deducting the said Interest to be applied thus :- 20 per cent, pro rata, amongst such of the shareholders as shall have contributed or in fluenced business to the Company, and

When such Reserve Fund shall have en accumulated, the payment of Interest to cease, and the profits to be spplied thus: 20 per cent to be distributed as already mentioned amongst the shareholders who shall have contributed business to the Company; 30 per cent to the augmentation of the Reserve Fund until it simil reach \$1,000,000, at which figure it is to be permaneutly maintained; and the remaining 50 per cent, to be distributed by way of dividend amongst the

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atthareliolders generally. . . . had a triplear abolder to hold more than 250 shares. hana jers, with the assistance of a Con-

sulting Committee.

6. The Funds of the Company to be deposties approved of by the Committee. The Deed of Association may be inspected at the Office of the General Managers, or at the Office of Mr HENRY C. CALDWELL, the Bolicitor of the Company. Hongkong, December 15, 1868. | 1a25

CHINA TRADER'S INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. THE General Dividend of Dollars Three Hundred and Fifty (\$350) per share will be payable at the office, of the Company, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants, on and after the 15th

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, and the

the 5th January, 1869, at 2.30 P.M. at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank A choice selection of Havana CIGARS

comprising-10 boxes, each 100 Brevas Partages, say 2 each, Amarillo, Claro, Colorado,

Colorado Claro, and Maduro. 20 boxes each 100 Princessa, Partagas, say 4 each, Amarillo, Claro, Colorado, Colorado Claro, and Maduro.

20 boxes, each 100 Principes Partagas say 4 each, Amarillo, Claro, Colorado Colorado Claro, and Maduro. 20 boxes, each 100 King's Flor, very

choice, say 4 each, Amarillo, Claro, Colorado, Colorado Claro, and Maduro. 20 boxes, each 50 Flor Reyna Partagas Conchas, say 4 each, Amarillo, Claro, Colorado, Colorado Claro, and Maduro, 10 boxes each 100 Regalia Partagas, say 2, each, Amarillo, Claro, Colorado,

Colorado Claro, and Maduro. 10 boxes each 100' Regulia Britanica, say 2 each, Amarillo, Claro, Colorado, Colorado Claro, and Maduro, TERMS of SALE, Cash before delivery

in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. will

sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the 5th inst, at Noon, at their Sales

Rooms, Queen's Road,--An Invoice of Woollen Hosiery, con sisting of men's white and grey lambs wool Half-hose, merino Heather, fancy Striped, Zetland, Scarborough Ditto, etc.

10 dozen Cardigan Jackets 6 doz. fine Lambswool Undershirts 50 pair Dawson's Beots. 10 cases Bryant and May's Safety

An Invoice of Note and Pocketbooks Metallic Ditto, Lettercases, Memorandum Books, Indexes, etc., etc.

60 dozen Huckaback Towels. 20 pieces fancy Flannels 10 pieces red Damask. 4 pieces green Do, 30 dozen Silk Handkerchiefs.

100 dozen Children's Woollen Sooks 20 barrels Oregon Salmon. An Invoice of Raisins, Currants, dried Herbs, Table Salt, Vinegar, preserved Milk, etc.

5 barrels Hubbuck's boiled Linseed Oil. 40 drums

20 cwt. Hubbuck's White Zinc. do. Black Paint. 40 casks Ale in quarts and Pints. 30 casks Iron Nails, assorted sizes 30 bolts Repairing Canvas. 20 pieces assorted colors Bunting.

160 Muskets. And a quantity of other Goods. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery. in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

S. "CATHERINE APCAR," FROM. SINGAPORE AND CALCUTTA. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named steamer are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned, and to take immediate

delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves el will be landed and stored at Conignees' risk and expense.

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkoug, January 2, 1869,

"BANDA," FROM LIVERPOOL. HE above named Vessel having arrived in Harbour, Consignees of Cargo by her are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of

their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1869,

OR SWATOW. MOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship

Captain Ashron, will leave for the above ports, on Monday, the 4th inst., at Nuon; instead of at the time previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, January 2, 1869. STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW HE P. d. O. S. N. Co. steam-ship

will leave for the above places at 8 a.m., on Wednesday, the 6th inst. W. MACAULAY. Superintendent. Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

STEAM TO SHANGH I'& YOKOHAMA. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-ship "Matacoa" will leave for the above places, at Noon To-morrow, the 3rd met.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

a Notice HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr Dinner, \$1.25. FREDERICK PEDDER IN OUR Firm ceases from this date. H. D. BROWN & Co. Amoy, December 31, 1868.

MR. FRANCIS CHOMLEY IS a Partner in or \$45, a month. VI our Firm, which from this date will be conducted under the Name of BROWN for their Rooms with or without board. H. D. BROWN & Co.

Amoy, January 1, 1860.

New Advertisements.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO PANY.

ALOOKAL JU WHAT YOU WE KNOW ENITE NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Meeting held on the 16th Inst., will be Order. payable at the Hongsping and Shanghai BANKING CORPORATION, on and after the 31st Instant

Shareholders are requested to apply at the office of the Company, No. 39, Queen's Road, for Warrants. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers,

Hongkong, December 29, 1868. THE HONGK NG, CANTON AND MACAQ STEAMBOAT COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE Ordinary: Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders of this Coinpany will be held at the Office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 20th day of January next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the statement of accounts with the Report of the Direc-

tors, and of declaring a Dividend.

By order of the Board of Directors, "AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. "General Agents. Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY,

I HE Transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 4th day to the 19th day of January next inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, December 23, 1868. EXCURSION TO SAN CHOAN

AND BACK CONSECRATION OF THE CHAPEL ERECTED OVER THE GRAVE

OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER. 'H18 ceremony of consecration will take place on a Sunday in January, to be named hereafter. Persons desirous of being present thereat, will be kind enough leave their names with Mesers Da Souza &

Co., Hollywood Road. It is intended to charter a steamer from Hongkong for the occasion. By order of the Committee,

J. DE SOUZA Secretary. Hongkong, December 19, 1868.

TWO DRAWING-BUOM SELF-AUTING ORGANS. HE above are very fine Instruments, and an Ornament to a Drawing-Room. 100 chances at \$5 each. They are on view on the premises, 58 and 60, Wellington street, up to the date of drawing-24th December, 1868, at 1 o'clock p.m., provid: ing the lottery be filled up First prize, large Organ ; second, small

F. DA CUNHA & Co. Hongkong, December 7, 1868,

ON and after January 1st, 1869, and until further notice, the Price of los to all Purchasers will be Three cents per

H. O'BARA, Agent Tudor Co. Hongkong, Dec. 26, 1868.

I HE Office of the Undersigned has this day been Removed to No. 22 B, corner of STANLEY and POTTINGER STREETS. GRUN & Co. Hongkong, December 17, 1868.

S. W. BAKER & Co., DEG to invite inspection of their New

O ST CK for the Season, received perlate arrivals, including Ladies' Hats, Bonnets, Opera Cloaks, Dresses in plan and fancy Silks. Poplinettes, Reps, and new Textures, French Robes, ready made, French Sashes, Belts. Jackets and Mantles, new shape Jupons, white and scarlet Corsets, Lace Kalls, Lace and other Trimmiuga, kiboons, and Ril

bon Yelvets in all colors, Hosiery, Kill. Cashmere, and Bronze Boots, white Satin Boots and Kid Gloves. ... A large assortment of Wool and Embroinery Works, as Cushion Patterns, Smoking Caps, Masala Sets, &c.

Sangster's Umbrellas, Christy's new shape Felt and Shell Hats, a choice lot of Neck Scarfs, Ties, Wrappers, Scollars, Socks, Funcy Tweeds and Contings, Braces, &c.

Brussels Carpets, Velvet Pile Carpets Nunanu, for Yokohama. and Rugs, All Woul Dainasks, Lace Cur | Sakura, for Singapore. tains, Table Covers in great variety, Damask Table Clothis in all sizes, Table Napkins, D'Oyleys, Blankets, Counterpanes, Sheetings, Flannels, Wool Mats, Turkish and other Towels &c. To sale (1.5)

Children's Trimmed Hats, Boots, Peramoulators, Picture Books, Toys, &c.

Dressing Cases, and Travelling Bags fitted, for Hadies and Gentlemen, Playing his had a Cards, and a large assortment of Stationery and Perfumery Goods. 8 W. BAKER & Co. Hongkong, December 22, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL

THIS HOTEL will be conducted under a I new arrangement commencing on the 1st of December. The Charges for Board: will remain as follow :-Board, \$45 a month. Tiffin only, \$15 a Breakfast or one Tiffin, 80 cents,

There is an excellent assortment of wines for sale at moderate prices. Co. The Charges for Lollging will be very april considerably reduced. Rooms are offered to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40,

There is an ample supply of Bathrooms, and Gas is laid on throughout the house. Hongkong, November 28, 1868,

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG TOTEL COMPANY LIMITED.

LL Orders for Goods Supplied to or THE Dividend of \$300 per Share declared A work done for the Hotel must be at the first Extraordinary General signed by the Secretary of the Company. MEETING held on the 1st Inst., and con- The Company will not undertake to pay firmed at the second Extraordinary General for any Goods Supplied without such

By order of the Board of Directors, C. LANGDON DAVIES,

Bongkong, November 27, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL. HAIR DRESSING SALOON. YPEN from 8 A.M. to 8 P.M.; Sundays, U 8 to 12 A.M., for any Gentlemen who may feel the necessity of having any tonsorial

operation performed. W. P. MOORE. Hongkong, December 8, 1868.

FOR SALE HE Well-known Racing Pony ALARM. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1868.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

QUEEN'S ROAD,

DESPECTFULLY solicit inspection of their New GO DS, in

the following Departments. Eevning Dresses - Velvets. RIBBONS. - Fancy Dresses, HOSIERY - Trimmings. Gloves HABERDASHERY. - Prints. Manchester

MANTLES. - Jackets. BONNETS. - Ladies' Outfits Millinery BABY LINEN.

Gentlemen's Hats- Gloves, HOSIERY. - Tweeds. Tailoring in all its Branches.

PERFUMERY, &c. Household Linens- Blankets.

CARPETS. FURNISHING DRAPERY.

Etc., Etc. P.S.—The Dress-making, Millinery intendence of experienced West End

Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

RINTING of every description executed at the "China Mail" Office with accuracy, neatness, punctuality, and at reasonable charges, by CHARLES A. SAINT.

PRICE 50 CENTS.

TABLE showing the Proposed Movements of the Mail Steam Packets of the P. & O. Company for the Year 1869, as | Cadiz, on Wednesday, the 6th instant, at 8 approved by Her Majesty's Postmaster To be had at the China Muil Office. Wyndham Street. Hongkong, December 26, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. Doo. 31, Costa Rica, Brit. barque, 299 Maullen, Chefoo, Dec. 24, General -A KARBERG & Co.

Jan. 1, Blamore, Brit. brig, 223, Cargell, Swatow, Dec. 30, Ballast. - Order. Jan. 2, Banda, Brit. ship, 481, Lamont Liverpool, Aug. 29, General. Holliday.

Jan. 2, Rangoon, British, str., 1,253, D. Ronneldson, Bombay, Galle, Penang, and Singapore, December 11, 16, 22, and 25. Opium and Treasure.-P. & O. Co. Jan. 2, Norma, N. G. barque, 339, Pohl, Bangkok, Nov. 4, 7,500 piculs Rice.-SIEMBSEN & Co.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED .- Per Rangoon, for Hongkong. Dr. and Mrs. Scott, Messre. Wardlaw, Goetz, Hirschfield, Mound, Darby, Rev O'Callaghan, Purveyor Rippon, Lieut. Oldham, Mr Semple.

For Shanghae, Mrs. Robertson, Messrs. Bean, and Wright: SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British ship Banda, from Liverpool, Gold Leaf, reports fine weather; crossed the Equator Gold Bar, 98 touch, on 3rd October, in long. 25 W.; passed the English Spycreigns, .... 4.65 meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on Australian Sovereigns, 26th Oct., in lat. 40 S.; made St. Paul's Discount, ... Island on 11th Nov., came to Ombay Pas- H. & W. Dock, Old, 4 p. o. dis; New, 23. Dec., had light variable winds; passed Cape Engano on 30th Dec., had fine wes. Union Dock ... ther and strong N.E. monsoon till arrival Board, \$45 a month. Tiffin only, \$15 a in Hopgkong on 2nd January, 1869. 125 month Dinners only \$30 a month. One days out. On 20th Dec., off Gilolo Passage, spoke the British ship Assyrian, from London, bound to Shanghai, 102 days out! she reports having spoken the British ship Spindrift, from London, bound to Shangihai, in the Ombay Passage, 72 days out.

with the state of the same of the The N. G. barque Norma, from Bang-(ceasional Visitors are charged \$4 a day | kok, reports fine weather and steady N.E. monsoon all the passage to Hongkong. On 6th Dec., in let. 6.55 N. and long. 114.36 E., spoke the British brig Flying Cloud, if from Saigon bound to Manila, 8 days out,

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS, MATLS WILL CLOSE:-For MANILA,-Per "MARQUEZ DE LA VICTORIA, at 7 A.M., To-morrow, the 3rd Inst.

For SHANGHAI, NINGPO, NAGASAKI & YOKOHAMA,-Per "MALACCA," at 11 A.M., To-mor-

row, the 3rd Inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW, -Per "CADIZ," on Wednesday, the 6th Instant, at 7 A.M.

The Mails for SWATOW, AMOY & FOO. CHOW .the 4th Instant, at 11 A.M., instead of at the time previously notified.

For BANGKOK, -Per barque "LY-EE-WOON," on Monday, the 4th Instant, at 3 P.M.

For INDIA, EUROPE, &c. Per La Compagnie des Services Mari-times des Messageries Imperiales Str. IMPERATRICE, To-morrow, the 3rd just., at 8 A.M. To and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles, to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France) to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India; Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mau-Sunday, ritius, Suez and Alexandria; after which no letter our be received. Letters for Registration will be re-

ceived until 5 P.M. this day. Correspondence intended to be forwarded by the vessels of the above company must be superscribed per Messageries Imperiales Packet "----

T is hereby notified that, under the pro visions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hougkong or any of the Ports in Chiua and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve

For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce in weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Bongkong, July 15, 1868.

It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st May last, Superintending, or First-Class Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard to Letters sent by or addressed to them ou their own private affairs as are at present enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the Army; and all Army Schoolmistresses will be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all but the First-Class now are) to the same and Tailoring are under the Super- privileges, in regard to their Letters, are enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and Private Soldiers.

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post Office

Hongkong, July 31, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH. For Manila. - Per Marquez de la Victoria, at 8 a.m., to-morrow, the 3rd inst. For Shanghai, Ningpo, Nagasaki and

Yokohama. - Per Malacca, to-morrow, the 3rd inst., at Noon. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.-Per

For Swatow, Amoy and Foodhow.-Per Yesso, on Monday, the 4th inst., at Noon. For Bangkok .- Per Lycemoon, on Morday, the 4th inst.

CARGOES. Memo. of Cargo per steamer Rangoon :-Malwa Opium for Hougkong, 193 chests.

Do. for Shanghai, 414

From London to Hongkong, £14,528

QUOTATIONS

Honokono, 2nd January, 1869. OPIUM. -Patna, New,... \$6271 Benares, New. 625 Malwa. 670 à 67 COTTON.-CALOUTTA. ... 16 α 20 BOMBAY, .... 17 @ 21

SHANGHAE, ... 19 a 20 Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, On Caloutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 219 Bonibay, 3 days sight, Rs. 219 | nom; Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bauk, 'Ila." Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., Mexicans, sage on 6th Dec., Gilolo Passage on 21st H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 24 a 25 p. c. p.

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Honekone, 2nd January, 1809. (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen'a Road.)

THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, ... 46 Do. 4 P.M., Dry, 51 Wet, 140 Self-registered Maximum. Do. Min. over night, BAROMETER, - 9 A.M.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES ON SUNDAYS IN HONGKONG. ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL - Morning, 11

o'clock-Lord Bishop. Afternoon 4 o'clock Lord Bishop. Union Church.-Minister Rev. D. B. Morris. Morning Service, 11 A.M.; Evening, 6.30 P.M. ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHAPEL. - (SerA Constitution of the cons

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vice in Chinese.) Morning 10 o'clock .-Rev. Lo Sam Yuen. Afternoon 3 o'clock. -The same. ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL .- Wellington Street. Very Rev. T. Raimondi, P. P. Ap. In the morning, at 6, lat Mass; 7, 2nd Mass; 8, High Mass with Sermon in Portuguese; 9.30, Last Mass with Ser-

In the atternoon, at 4, Sermon in Chinese Per "YESSO," will close on Monday, at 4.30, Sermon in Portuguese; 5, Bene-ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHAPEL, -Spring Gardens. In the morning, at 7, Mass with Sermon in Chinese, by the Rev. F. Yaw. At the Roman Catholic Reformatory,

mon in English, by the Rev. T. Borglignoli.

West Point, Rev. B. Vigano. Service at BERLIN FOUNDLING House. - Service in the German language, by Pastor E. Klitzke. on every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House,

West Point. SAILOR'S HOME .- Evening Service, at 6 P.M. - Rev. Canon Beach. CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGOGUE. -Queen's

Road (East). Service at 4 P.M. every

NOTES & QUERIES CHINA AND JAPAN.

No. 12, Vol. 2, Will be published on Monday, the 4th inst. With the number for January, 1869, will be published an Index and Title-Page for the Second Volume, which concludes with the number for this month

There being only a limited number of the present Volume in stock for binding, early application will be necessary to secure

China Muil Office, 2nd January, 1869. TO CORRESPONDENTS. The letter respecting the Rhenish Mission shall appear on Monday.

BIRTH. On the 11th Dec., 1868, at Saigon, the Wife of Louis HAUSCHILD, Esq., of a Daughter. u

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JAN. 2, 1869.

PATERNAL GOVERNMENT AT SAIGON.

WE were not hitherto aware that France extended to her Eastern Colonies that paternal, care for the literary food of her sons which so pre-eminently distinguishes the mother country; but by some recent. numbers of the official journal at Saigon we note that the circulation of La Lanternie has been forbidden in Cochin-China. We are not admirers of Mons. Rochefort as to the scurrilous personalities which disfigured the more recent issues of that short-lived publication, though we believe that he represented a good principle carried to excess. But we had surely thought that the "little" brief authority" of a Saigon Governor might have found some more worthy objects of attention than the seizure of a possible stray number of an objectionable publication! Is he afraid that the native contingent will become demoralized and incited to throw off their allegiance-so willingly tendered according to the official account? or is it merely a. little of that fussy and calculating zeal which must ever be seeking the smiles of its superiors? Our French friends say they cannot comprehend English journalism, and verily we cannot comprehend the peculiar idiosyncracy which leads able men to spend time and thought in crushing butterflies on the wheel. We really do credit most subjects of France resident in the East with less care for politics, and a great deal more common

sense than this precious notification would

If Governor Ohier is, however, going to establish a journalistic index expurgatorius, the newspapers in China may look for an increased circulation at Saigon. Nothing would so surely create a demand for this or any journal as to forbid its. circulation within the limits of the French territories in Cambodia, and we trust he will be good enough to help us a little in this way. The most severe retaliation we could make would be to quote the official Saigon journal in full, for few things would so tend to keep people from settling there as announcements: similar to the absurd notification in. which the Governor "approved" the rules, &c., for the races. If Saigon is to be a purely military settlement, well and good. They may regulate the length of the horses' tails and the angle at which they may cock their ears if they like. But let the "tall talk" about "commerce" cease in that case. Governor Ohier is doubtless doing very well as Captain of a man of war or Commandant, of a garrison, but the more he leaves the non-official community to themselves the better will it be for the prosperity of the port. If there be any truth in the alleged jealousy of England as to French succeases in Cambodia, the Governor could not better satisfy us than by making the settlement an unpleasant place of residence for outsiders. We need fear no rivalry until it is made attractive to the trading nations amongst which France cannot certainly be counted. We rather 80.515 suspect that Governor Ohier's zeal will , 30.420 be deemed superfluous in Paris,

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(now Sir Harry) Parkes, whose injunc-

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ils imprisonment expiring he was ban-

ished from the city; but he returned to

his office as Poon-yu Magistrate on the

evacuation of Canton. Since that period

his natural antagonism to foreigners has

kept him in the back ground, but his

temporary appointment as Acting Taotai

seemed at length a prelude to advance-

ment Before he had held office a

has lately been employed as Superinten-

dent of the taxetations on the coast, was

30th, he too was dead. Under these

circumstances it is not surprising that

the superstitious Chinese look on the

appointment as involving some peculiar

in Hainan, has now been nominated to

THE following gratifying piece of news

has come to hand by the mail: A decree

vernment ordering that the Colonial ports

of Spain shall henceforth be free to the

vessels of all nations, and that the an

chorage dues shall be entirely abolished.

We trust that the authorities at Manila

will promptly give effect to this wise and

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has been published by the Spanish Go

the inauspicious post.

A fourth officer, lately Taotai

the subject of torture he had

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WICES ON SUNDAYS ÖNGKONG. THEORAL -Morning, 11 hop. Afternoon 4 o'clock -Minister. Rev. D. B.

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RDAY, JAN. 2, 1869.

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s in Paris,

A curious succession of deaths, amount TO DAY'S POLICE. ing to an apparent fatality, has recently Mr Goodlake sat this morning, and the feeling of consternation in spirituous victims of misplaced confidence native circles at Canton. The newly rejoiced accordingly. There was a most promisenus crowd arraigned : soldiers, maappointed Taotai of the Shao-Lo Circuit. rines, louiers (Chinese and foreign), de., whose official residence is at Shad King to ... The magistrate was in a most sesson. ra on the West River, died suddenly ably good humour, and dealt with the some six weeks ago, shortly after taking enthusiastic admirars of the Old and New office; and the Prefect of Shao King Fu Year with gamest lenient hand All or a Tartar ramed Wu fu. was temporarily nearly all those charged as ! drunk and disorderly, " f'drunk and incapable," and placed in charge of the Taotaiship. This drunk and assault," were sent away, with man, when Magistrate of the Poon-yu District at Canton in 1861, came

remark that the Christmas and New Year with General Crawford and Mr season had come to an end The 75th Regiment figured to-day prominently for the first time, some slight disturbance (as might have been expected) having taken place on New Year's Eve. William M'Intosh, Steven Dilton, Thomas Flatten and Richard Allen, privates of the 75th, were charged with having assaulted and beaten an eating-house keeper at Wanoccupation of Canton. On the term of chi, and otherwise behaved themselves in a very uproarious manuer. From the facts it appeared pretty plainly that the soldiers were infected with the "spirit" of the times, and got a little more possessed thereof than was good for either themselves or the Chinese in the neighbourhood. Complainant stated that the row commenced outside his door, and the cause of the collision appears to have been Allen's snatching a piece of pork from the eating-

month, however, he, like his predecessor, plainant could not quietly tolerate. house—a piece of mischief which the comwas suddenly carried off, about ten days the scuffle to recover the piece of pork ago. On the news of his death reaching blows were struck, and marks resulted Canton, the Taotai Hai Ting-shen, who shown) Gomplainant and his witness were not altegether clear as to which of the soners had been most active in the figlit, nominated to the post. On the 29th ruse" on mr Goodlake's part, ordering the third and fourth prisoners to change dinner-party to his friends; and on the places. It was plain enough, however, that blows were freely deals by the military rioters, and the soldiers seem to have also used their belts. One witness stated that he came out of his shop to see what was going on; and was met at once by a blow on the head with a brass buckle This blow was dealt by Dilton, and according to this witness Alten put his foot in t breast of the poor fellow when down Al the prisoners threw about crockery, pork and Chinamen in a most careless and random way. - Prisoners (especially Allen) made a considerably lengthy defence; they were on their way to Barracks, and bethought themselves to go and buy a bit o' bacon for breakfast; but the shopman refused to let them have it, and hauled off and hit the

4th (Allen) kicking over into the street In a minute or two, a large crowd assembled, showers of stones were flying about and the prisoners had to use their belts in self-defence—so says Allen—as they were in terror of their lives. As Alleh very plainly put it "one of them stones coming and hiting one a crack on the forehead would have been no joke; and in Allen's opinion, prisoners were the persons who ought to have made the charge, as the most ill-used persons in the affair, -One of the

most unfortunate features of the case, however, was that no one who was in the affair knew anything (or said a word) about stone or crowds or violence other than that used by the prisoners; while Inspector Horspool produced two or three uniform coats in a perfect state of tatter. Further, the prisoners were apprehended with their heavy belts in their hands; a fact which the Magistrate said was conclusive as to the tise of that nasty weapon in the row. - His Worship said that he was glad Lieutenant Burn ha given prisoners so good a character; but he was afraid that he could not pass this some what grave offence, even though it was th

be brought before their commanding officer.

was charged with having assaulted a Sik

said that seamen, if not riotously drunk

should be assisted on board their ships

spector Cradock said that the prisoner

all Charge Rooms at the New Year by being

sent on board in the morning, but that he

tried to get away from the Charge Room

in the nose while recapturing him .- Smith

on board his ship, when a constable came

and said something to him at the Wharf-

he did not know what for. If he struck the

policeman, he certainly did not know of it.

and was very sorry. It was the poisonous

drink that did it, and not the man who

struck the blow : he was very sorry. If his

commanding officer chose, he could punish

bim for being absent; it all depended on

the commanding officer, and the character

which he (the prisoner) bore in the ship. -

Mr Goodlake discharged Smith with the

A Chinese boy in the employ of Mr. L

Gaupp, watchmaker, was discovered yes-

terday afternoon rolling up a blanket which

was the property of his master. Many

hings had been missed from the house

His Worship sent the boy to Gaol with

bard labor for six months, and ordered

him to find two sureties of \$100 each fo

Thomas Robinson paid him a visit of con-

a foot."

than to be born so.

wife "-Because he is a deal plainer.

nine months thereafter.

advice not to appear again.

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rather than be taken to the station.

policeman, by hitting him in the nose.

He could not see why the serious light deman) at Warwick. scribed by Allen should have arisen from the mere fact of the purchase of a bit o perk. The prisoners would find that the Chinese were quiet, harmless people if they were only left alone. As there was, however, nothing against Flutten, he would discharge him. The others were fined in a sum of \$1 or four days' imprisonment.

White, Brighton, ELECTION RIOTS.—In the metropolitan Philip Smith, a marine of the Melville constituencies there has been intense excitement; but no actual violence. In other parts of the country people have not been appears that Smith, who was very drunk so fortunate. At Blackburn a man was was taken to the station at the suggestion cruelly murdered; at Bristol much violence of a gentleman, on the ground that he migh was committed; and at Newport in Monpossibly get "married to a mermiade" at the monthshire one or two persons were killed bottom of the harbor. Mr Goodlake re marked that that was Smith's look-out; and

GENERAL .- Apart from the elections there is no home news of importance. United States Minister has had an address presented to him, and made a speech at Brighton. The St. Alban's Ritual case is being again argued before the Privy Council. Kelley and Renforth have rowed for the Championship, the latter winning. It is now certain that a new railway to Brighton will be undertaken.

said that he was very sorry : he was going FOR IGN SUMMARY. FRANCE .- The excitement about the Bandin monument still continues, and several more journals have been seized for publishing the subscription lists.

NOBTH GERMANK .- A telegram from eil on the 30th. Count von der Goltz, the expected he would never leave France alive, has arrived at Berlin on a three mouths' leave of absence.

proclaim Prim Emperor as Juan L. sorzy, my lord, to perceive that you are dying by inches." "Oh don't be sorty meet on the 24th inst, and it is thought that the Ministry will soon have to sustain think God, that I am not so tall as you by some severe attacks from the Opposition. The eruption of Mount Vesuvius still con-Ix the churchyard at Timebury, Wills, tinues; the lava is reaching cultivated land. stands a reperable yew of immense size, doing considerable damage, and threatening land of China Buckeer, which is generally The trunk, which is hollow, with a large villages. New cones have opened at the first made by ships bound for Raugoon, and opening towards the north, measures thirty foot of the great cone, and from them two his about 2 miles north-east of the mouth of feet six inches round. By a calculation exceams of fire are issuing. Stones and fire

s trace, it must be at least one thousand great cone United States - We have now detailed \*THERE are many fools who insist on being accounts of the Presidential election, showwas brought before Mr. Goodlake and was perfectly miserable because they cannot be ing that it was accompanied with serious entenced to six mouths' hard labour. The perfectly happy. Lagistrate remarked it was lucky he was | It is more noble to make yourself great | telegrams announce that the city of Alamos, lin Shinales, and several towns of Sonors

(From the Home News, Nov. 20.) working man's dinner in London. He has E. 96 13'. repeated at Brighton that all differences. with the United States are settled.

Vesuvius is again in eruption upon grander scale than before. General Wetherall has succeeded Sir Thomas Lacon as Under-Secretary of Ire-

M. Berryer, the distinguished French advocate, is seriously ill. Dr. Norman Macleod is to be the next Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

favour of the "Recreative services" at from the mast head of a ship, St. Martin's-hall. This decision is regarded | remaining 500 of light will show 12 miles as likely to give a new complexion to the from the deck of a vessel. English Sunday.

Garibaldi has advised the Spaniards to proclaim a Federal republic, Further proceedings have taken place in the case of ex-Governor Eyre in an action for £10,000 damages.

stroyed by tornadoes. The French Government has prosecuted several Paris Journals for announcing subscriptions to the Bandin monument. There, have been reports of a conspiracy against

Telegrams from Russia assert that Turkey is arming. won by Renforth, who defeated Kelly by

NOTICES TO MARINERS. The following information has been pub lished by order of the Straits Govern

SOUTH AUSTRALIA. Port Adelaide - Alteration of Light. Variation, 5 30, east. High water, F. and C., 5 hours; rise and fall ordinary

springs, (8) eight feet. Norice is hereby given that the lights now exhibited from the Lightship, entrance of the port Adelaide Creek, will be discontinued on the 1st January, 1869. and that a fixed light will be exhibited on the south side of the Outer Bar of the creek

The new light, which is of the fourth order, on the catadioptric principle, will be shown from an iron tower, (50) fifty fee above high water, and will be visible from all points seaward at a distance of (14) fourteen miles in clear weather, from the deck of an ordinary sized ship.

During the prevalence of warm weather when much refraction exists, the light will be seen at a greater distance than above

The tower is erected near the end of the South Sand, on the south side of the Outer Bar channel, in seven (7) feet water at low water spring tides.

The navigable channel for large vessels is seventy (70) yards to the northward of the Lighthouse, in which at the present time there is a depth of thirteen (13) feet at low water ordinary spring tides, the rise and fall at springs being eight (8) feet,

The following sailing directions are pub lished in lieu of those hitherto observed in consequence of the removal of the Light ship and the erection of the Lighthouse at

Ships having, in conformity to the gene Sheffield, Mr Hubbard at Buckingham, Mr ral directions, cleared Troubridge Shoals, and being in a fair berth for proceeding up the Gulf, should endeavor to make the Lighthouse on a bearing from N. N. E. to Gibson at Ashton, Mr Horsman at Stroud, N. E. in a heavy ship, carefully avoiding and Mr Reardon at Athlone. Of new bringing it to the northward of N. by E. ir order to avoid the Wonga Shoal, lying the southward of the jetty,

The most convenient anchorage will found with the Lighthouse from N. by to N. N. E., and the red light on the jetty from E. by S. to E. S. E. In this position will be found upwards of five (5) fathoms or sandy bottom.

The pilots now board ships from the jet , the cutters formerly used being laid up The tidal signals now exhibited from the flagstaff at the Semanhore will be shown from a flagstaff on the Ligthouse platform. B. DOUGLAS, Lieut. R.N.B.

President Marine Board, South Australia, Port Adelaide, 21st Sept., 1868. LIGHTHOUSES ON BRITISH BURMAN.

be established off the coast of British Burmah, probably on the 31st May 1869. this is issued as a warning in case they should be so established :-1. - Coast Lighthouse On the Krishna Shoal, Gulf of Martaban

Bay of Bengal In latitude N. 15 36" 30" longitude E. 95 35'. A lighthouse on screw piles in 3 fathoms of water at low water on the southeastern edge of the above shoal, showing a fixed dioptric light of the scond order. The focal plane of the light 55 feet above high water rise, and fall 12 fest at full and change, visible 15 miles.

The light is cut off at W.S. W. to the westward, and at N.N.E. to the eastward, the centre of the light being 8.E.

In making this light (the object of which is to enable vessels to round the Baraque Point so as to avoid the dangers of the Baraque Flat and Krishna Shoal) from the westward, a vessel should keep in not less than 7 fathoms of water to the south, steering east till the light bears N. W. and distant from 5 to 10 miles, then steering N. E. y N. 40 miles to make the China Buckeer ighthouse at the mouth of the Rangoon Vessels from the northward going south must not get in less than 6 fathoms of water to the westward, or make the light on a bearing to the W. of S. W. by S if after passing the light, a ship is going to when the light bears N. W., keeping in 7

2 - Harbour Lighthouse, The China Buckeer for the mouth of the Rangoon river on the western side. Hitherto the entrance to the channel to the Rangoon river has been marked by a light ship in 34 fathoms of water.

This light ship will not be removed till this and the following lighthouse have been illuminated. The lighthouse is situated on the hi

the China Buckeer river. It is on serew piles, and the lower part being against a back ground of dark trees,

will be painted white. It is close to high water mark, but the sands at low water stretch 6 miles to the of the New Testament to Stokesley, Bisho;

well to seaward from it.

greatest brilliancy once a minute; it can be The American Minister, Mr. Reverdy seen 18 miles from the deck of a shi ohnson, has accepted an invitation to a It is in latitude N. 16° 17' and longitude

3. - Harbour Lighthouse, The eastern grove for the mouth of the Rangoon river on the eastern side. This lighthouse is also on screw piles, latitude N. 16° 29', longitude E.

This lighthouse will show a light of 60° and will be cut off to the eastward due south: 10° of this angle will show a condensed light, the centre of which will pass through the present position of the ship, or in a direction S. 30 Q. W. The Court of Common Pleas has ruled in | condensed light will be visible 18 miles

the Rango n River. to it of west to avoid eastern sands; and Several towns in Mexico have been de- to avoid the western sands the Eastern Grove Light must not be brought to bear to the eastward of N.-N. E.

south of a bearing to the China Buckeer of owners, with little harm done.

westward of these bearings, in danger.

they find the lights lighted as above, and them-killed four (including the murderer the light ship removed. But as something of Mr Bain) out of the six-recovered the may occur to prevent their being lighted treasure, -about a thousand dollars, and at the time noted, 31st May 1869, until a | that everything was in order again with second notice is issued that they have been arms complete." The two living runaways. the precautions which they would adopt if | will, in all probability, be brought in, dead the present light ship was to be their only or alive, in a day or two. So terminated

ARTHUR BROUME, Colonel Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India

SAIGON COMMERCIAL

Messra Hauschild & Sornsen's Circular dated Saigon, 26th Dec., 1868, says :-Our last circular was under date of 23rd ultimo. Since then we have received ad vices from Hongkong by sailing-vessel extending to the 16th instant, from Singapore to the 21st instant, and from Europe to the 19th ultimo.

Rios. -Old Grain is now very nearly exhausted and difficult to obtain except in small quantities. Business in this article has been neglected, and we quote nominally \$1.25/26 per picul.

The market for New Grain was opened about the middle of this mouth by a contract for 30,000 picula, deliverable in 50 and 60 days at \$1.29 to 1.30 per picul. then sales of about 100,000 piculs have followed in its wake at from \$1.28 to \$1.30 deliverable within from 30 to 50 days. this moment the market is firm at \$1.30, and holders are not much inclined to contract even at this figure for short delivery. As a good many orders are still to be completed and a large amount of Tonnage in harbour to be filled up, we do not look forward to any great reduction in value being established before February when large supplies from the Gocovg district may

TONNAGE .- The business during the month under review has been very limited comprising but one charter to France at free, 85 per ton and two engagements to Singapore at about 10 cents per picul.

At present the demand for Tonnage almost nil, and as a good many disengaged vessels in harbor are awaiting employment the little enquiry, which future orders might call forth, can be amply satisfied. We quote nominally as to-day's rates: lo Europe, £3 per ton; Australia, £2.1 per ton; Mauritius, Fres. 60 per ton

Singapore, 10 cents per picul Subjoined are the charters concluded since our last :- Dutch, Pantalon, 6,400 piouls, to Singapore, \$500 in full. French, La Plata, 440 tons, to Belle Isle f. o. at 85 fes. per ton Freuch Etienne & Lawrence 400 piculs, to Singapore, \$740 in full. Exchange - 6 m/s on London documenary 4/51 a 4/52d. Treasury Bills on Paris . 55. Exchange on Hongkong par to oremium 3 d/s private Bills.

EXPORT OF BICE FROM SAIGON. Total Exports from 1st January 1868 23Fd November 1868, 2,074,684 picula. Ohina, 8,900 piculs; to Singapore, 36,700 picula; to Manila, 17,955 picula; to Manritius and Bourbon, 16,000 piculs; to Europe, 57,000 piculs. Total Exports from lat January, 1868, to date, 2,211,239 Pla.

Johanne ; Indian, from Hongkong ; I Plata, from Hongkong; Frohlich, from Hongkong Nantib from Macao Croix, from Hongkong : Matador. Macao: Cadovius: Nellie abbot. Swatow : Evangeline, from Hougkong Mirzapore; Japan, from Hongkong; An gust, from Hongkong; Bengali, from Hong kong ; Mikado, from Hongkong ; Anna Maria ; John Brightman ; Tye-long, from Hongkong ; Princess Somawatty, from Hongkong ; Patria, from Hongkong ; Queen of Burmab, from Itainan; Paul Riquet from Hongkong; Rebecca Goddard, from Hongkong ; Gazelle, from Hongkong Conrier des Mers, from Hongkong. DEPARTURES.

Flying Cloud, Souvenance, Ocean Bride, Stella, Hackmatac, Minerva, Alicia, Jo hanne, Indian, Madagascar, for Hongkong, Lancashire, Pantalon, Nellie Abbot, Cadovius, Moderation, E. & Lawrence, August, Nantib, for Macao.

VESSELS IN PORT. Anna Maria, Bengali, Courier des Mers, Froblich, Evangeline, John Brightman, Japan, Maria Louisa, Matador, for Hongkong, Mikado, Mirzapore, Otto & Antonie, Princess Samawatty, Patria, Queen of Burmah, Paul Riquet, Rebecca Goddard,

CRANMER, when the Bible was being translated into English, alloted a portion eastward of it. Ships must therefore keep of London, who was a very niggardly man. Stokesley returned his part undone, with :-It will bear a dioptric light, the upper and surly message; and Latimer observed that centre drum a revolving light, attaining its any testament in which he had not a legacy and triumphantly replied "a baby."

The Royalist has brought news of an emeuts in the Sarawak territory, which, although not very serious, tends to show how all Europeans there live with their lives in their hands, and know not when they may be called upon to face sudden death. The following are authentic particulars furnished by the courtesy of the? Sarawak Government. It is satisfactory to know that the murdering miscreants have net with condign punishment.

On the 28th November, the Mukah fort, under charge of the Resident, Mr Rodway, was surprised by a party of six convicts. (one Chinaman and 5 Malays) who were under sentence of imprisonment for trivial offences. The Resident and Mr Sinclair were walking on the beach, distant about a mile from the fort, at the time the attack Sailing directions for making the mouth of took place, and on their return, found the fort in the bands of these miscreants who Having made the China Buckeer Light had killed the sentry, loaded the arms, from the southward or eastward, a vessel fastened the doors, and we regret to state, must not go to the northward of a bearing that the Chinaman among them, most brutally murdered Mr Bain, who was lying sick in the Resident's apartments.

The Resident, Mr Sinclair, finding impossible to approach the fort, retired to All vessels steering from the eastward the house of the bead native of the place; should make the China Buckeer Light bear- and instantly despatched a messenger to ing W. by N., and should not proceed on request assistance from the Rejang Resithe government, but they are declared un- their course beyond a point where the dency. In two days, a full armed force eastern Grove Lighthouse will bear as under the direction of Mr Skelton, were on their way to relieve Mukah, when they re-Ships are not to go up channel by the ceived another message reporting that the The championship of the Thames was Eastern Grove Light, but must anchor fort was again in the bands of its rightful

On the 8th December, the Sarawak A ship anywhere to the southward of W. steamer Royalist with Rajah Brooks on by N, bearing to the China Buckeer Light | board arrived off Mukah, and as the above and anywhere to the eastward of a bearing | intelligence of recovery had not reached to the Eastern Grove of N. N. E., is in | Sarawak, she was laden with pieces of ordsafety; anywhere to the northward or nance, spare arms, ammunition &c. The Resident then reported that "the rascals This notice is intended to be preliminary, | made off at night after holding the fort for so that vessels may not be deceived in case | a few hours. The inhabitants pursued lighted, masters of vessels should adopt all are being pursued in all directions, and this affair, which was nearly being very serious. It aruse from the carelessness of the guard, who, with the exception of the watchman, were outside the fort at their meals-it proved the population at large to be faithful and loyal to a man.

The Chinaman, it appears, was in debt to Mr Bain, and on a previous occasion, while being sued, had used threatening language to the deceased-words, considered idle at the time, which have, unfortunately, proved too true.

-Mr Bain (take engineer of the Borner Company,) had been engaged for some time in Mercantile affairs in the Oya river, distant 15 miles from Mukah, and was unusually popular with the native community.

A JESUIT CHALLENGE .- About fifteen vears ago a certain Father Rob, of the order of Jesus, exclaimed at the end of a series of missionary services held at Frankfort-on-the-Maine from the pulpit : " If any one can produce before the juridical faculty of Heidelberg or Bonn a book written by a desuit in which, according to the judgment of that faculty, the simple axiom 'The end justifies the means 'is found, either in those or in similar words, I shall pay to that person who produces such a book 1,000 floring Rhenish currency. Whosoever, on the other hand, without having produced this proof, ascribes to the Jesuits order that disgraceful doctrine, either by word of snouth or in writing, him I declare to be a dishonourable slanderer." Neither of the universities, however, feeling inclined to ask for the deposition of the sum mentioned, the reverend father repeated his offer from time to time at the different "missions." Some one at last seems to have taken the matter seriously, and a very in-

teresting "case" will probably come out of it. A letter is going the round of the Swiss papers, addressed to this Father Rob, who at this moment happens to be in Switzerland, written by Dr. Franz Huber, of Berne, dated the 18th of October. It concludes as follows :- ! Although I do not know how you, having taken the vow of personal poverty, can promise to pay a thousand floring, nevertheless I am ready to bring the demanded proof, if you are ready still to stand by your public declaration and will point out any juridical faculty to undertake the arbitration. I consider the latter point as necessary; since the Heidelberg faculty has replied to my question regarding it that it could not, as long as the desire to the effect was not expressed by both parties, undertake the arbitrament in the matter. I look forward to your equally public answer and sign, Dr. Franz Huber." No reply has as yet been forthcoming .- Pall Mall Gazette.

Lost Hours. - One person rises in the morning at half-past nine, another at six. If each live to be 50 years old, the one will have enjoyed 63,875 hours, or 2,661 days more than the other. Let us suppose that there are throughout Great Britain 1,500,000 persons who rise at a quarterpast nine, or later; of these, perhaps 350,000 would, if they rose at six. be usefully employed. At this rate, 56,346,875,000 hours, or 6,432,291 years of individual improvement are lost to society every half-century. This is supposing that these 950,000 get up at a quarter-past nine. whereas thousands do not leave their beds till eleven or twelve. All this time is uninterrupted day, and composed of hours in which the intellect is far clearer and more fit for study than the rest of the day. it must be remembered, too, that nothing conduces more to health, and consequently to longevity, than early rising. Suppose. out of the above pumber of persons 500,000 should live four years longer than they otherwise would have done, viz., fifty-four years instead of fifty, according to the ratio above, here are 2,000,000 more years of actual existence utterly wasted.

Mr. Pegg says he doesn't care anything about credit at the grocer's if he can only get the goods.

CONJUGAL APPECITION .- Wife: But my dear, I shall catch cold coming down so late Gazelle, for Hongkong, La Plata, St. Croiz, to let you in. Husbond: Oh no, my love, I'll rap you up well before you come down Edmund Burke, was telling Garrick, one day at Hampton, that all things bitter were hot. "Indeed," said Garrick, "what do you think, Mr. Barke, of bitter cold wea-

A BOY having been told that a reptile is "an animal that creeps," on being asked to name one on examination day, promptly

## LOCAL.

N another column we give a "notice" thariners," referring to the lighting, of the doast of British burmah. The necessity for erecting light-houses there is made plain by a report recently issued by the ndian Govranment, in which it is remarkd that the Coast of British Burman is, is - spite of the exertions of Colonel Fraser, still maintaining its evil reputation among mariners. Out of a total of 28 vessels wrecked on the coasts of British India during the year 1865 eight disasters occurred on the Burmah coast. In the year 1866 thirty-two-vessels were wrecked ten these on the Burmah coast. In 1867 oul 3 vessels were wrecked off Burmah. There were 12 shipwiecks on the Madras coas 10 on Bengal, 5 on Bombay, 4 on the Andaman Islands and 3 off Ceylon. In all these 19 men perished. The loss of only 15 native vessels was reported during last year.

-- THE Friend of India contains the following paragraph relating to a gentleman who is identified with the former history of Hong. one :- "Rumour has it that that migratory not to say erratic barrister, Mr Chisholm Anstey, is to succeed Mr L Broughton as Recorder of Rangoon. Only short time ago it was confidently asserted that hir Ansfey was to fill a vacancy on the Madras Beuch. Of his legal abilities there can be no question, but it would be fortunate if a barrister of more settled habit should be found for such an impostant office as the Recordership of Rangoou white

parries with it the chief Judgeship of Peg nd Arrakan." We have not previously heard of the circumstance mentioned in the subjoine extract from an Indian contemporary. difficulty occurred between Mr Alabaster our Acting Consul at Bangkok, and the te King of Siam, a few months before that Monarch's death. Captain Eames the chief of the Siamese police, in searching for smuggled opium, accidentally fired some houses belonging to the Kling community.
The Klings as British subjects claimed damages through the Consul, but redress was refused and Mr Alabaster struck his flag. We have not heard how the matter was arranged, but a gunboat was despatched to the Gulf of Siam to reinstate Mr Alabas-

ter in his office. H. M. STRAM surveying vessel. Serpent Commander Bullock, from Sourabaya with dates to the 10th Dec., has anchored in the harbour. We hear that five deaths from Cholera occurred on board during her passage up to Singapore, and as a matter precaution she has been ordered to be outside harbour limits in the meantime. Straits Times.

YESTERDAY afternoun about 2 o'clock, Mr. Sangater, was walking along the road leading up to the Albahy, he saw two amahs running down the road and shouting at the top of their voices to a coolie who was quietly walking along the lower road, and who passed Mr Sangster and then bolted off. Mr Sangster gave chase, the fellow running down the winding road by St. Paul's College and into the side entrance of College dolence, and said, rather bluntly, "I am Gardens, closely followed by Mr S.; the coolie then took a jump down the embankment and commenced scrambling down the about the matter," replied the peer, but hill Mr S! followed, but went round the road, and down to the tank just in time to catoli the fellow who was rolling down the tank, It appears the rogue was coming dose the Albauy and snatched a bundle of sigthing from one of the women and then made off, but hearing the women shouting fler bim, he dropped the bundle, went over he garden wall, and walked along the lower oad as if nothing had huppened. The The five hundred years old. yomen recovered the clothing and the man of recognized as an old offender or he for recognized as an old offender of his a joiner less handsome than his and Lower California have been destroyed lower cupolar showing a fixed light, and the blokesley would give him no trouble about as present when the rogue was captured

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## THE CHINA MAIL. ARRIVAL OF THE ENG-LISH MATL

The P. & O. steamer Raligoon, Captain Rennoldson, from Bombay with dates to the 11th, Galle 16th, Penang 22nd, Singapore 24th instant, arrived to day, with the Europe Mails of 20th November.

The Rangoon brings no later telegrams than those brought by the M. Is Time. The Rangoon brings 488 bales Cotton and 194 chests Malwa Opium for Hong kong, and 415 chests of that drug for

HOME SUMMARY. (From the London and China Express. Nov. 20th.

THE ELECTIONS -All the borough, and considerable proportion of the county elections are complete; up to last night 439 members had been returned to the new Parliament, of whom 283 are Liberals and -156 Conservatives. THE CITY AND METROPOLITAN SEATS. The City of London has for the first time eturned a Conservative, Mr. Ball; the

other three seats are filled by Mr. Goschen, Mr. Crawford, and Alderman Lawrence. At Westminster, Mr. W. H. Smith (Conservative) was first, and Lord Grosvenor second, Mr. Mill being excluded. South wark, Marylebone, and Finsbury returned their old members. Mr. Ayrton got the first seat for the Tower Hamlets, and it was at first stated that Mr. Beales had won the second, but it afterwards proved that Mr. Samuda had beaten him. Lambeth has returned the Lord Mayor and Mr McArthur, both Liberals. The new borough of Chel sea returned Sir H. Hoare and Mr. C. W Dilke, both Liberals.

PROVINCIAL TOWNS .- At Liverpool two onservatives-Lord Sanden and Mr. Graves headed the poll; Mr. Rathbone (L) won the third seat, after a severe strug-At Manchester also a Conservative. Mr. Birley, holds the first place, Mesers. Bazley and Jacob Bright filling the two Liberal seats. At Birmingham, Mr. Bright and his two Liberal colleagues, Dickson and Muntz, had an easy victory. At Nuttingham Sir R. Clifton and his Conservative colleague, Col. Wright-both of whom came forward almost at the eleventh hourwere returned by a vast majority. Brighton again returned Messrs. White and Fawcett Mr. M. H. Gladstone sits for Whitby, and Mr. E. T. Smith (of Cremorne) for Tyne-

THE RIVAL LEADERS - Mr Disraeli, who was returned without opposition for Buckinghamshire, made a speech expressing great confidence, and was enthusiastically received. Mr. Gladstone's return for South west Lancashire, where the nomination takes place to-morrow, appears somewhat doubtful; he has a seat at Green wich to fall back upon, but a defeat at the county election would be very significant,

COMPARATIVE GAINS AND LOSSES .- Of 70 old seats contested the Liberals gained 40, the Conservatives 30. Of 30 new seats, the Liberals 23, the Conservatives only.7. The 53 seats disfranchised by the new Reform Acts give a loss to the Conservatives of 23. Laberals 27. So far, the Liberal majority of the last Parliament would seem to be

worthy members of the last Parliament who have been defeated are Mr Bernal Osborne at Nottingham, Mr Roebuck at John Stuart Mill in Westminster, Baron Rothschild in the City of London, Mr John Abel Smith at Chichester, Mr Milner candidates Mr Beales has been rejected at New Year seasons, and the prisoners would the Tower Hamlets, Mr Bradlaugh at Northampton, and Mr Cremer (a working-

MEMBERS INTERESTED IN CHINA, -Among the list of members returned we note the following names as having a special interest in China, &c; Mr Jardine, for Dumfries Mr Magniac, St. Ives; Mr Edgar Bowring, Exeter; Mr Birley, Manchester, and Mr

Berlin says that Count Bismark is expected to open the sittings of the Federal Coun-Prussian Ambassador at the French Court who has been so dangerously ill that it was

SPAIN. -The dead lock still continues, there being no suitable candidate for the throne, while the Republican party is yet in a minority: Garibaldi has sent a letter dated Caprera, Nov. 10, to a friend in Spain, recommending the Spaniards to proclaim a republic, and immediately appoint | the westward, she can turn in that direction a dictator for two years. A circular which is being profusely distributed just now fathoms. throughout Spain advises a very different. WHEN Lord Chesterfield was dying, Sir | course; it proposes, in order to avert "an inevitable and disastrous coup d'etat." to

ITALY .- The Italian Parliament is to made from the appearance of an exposed are occasionally thrown up also from the

by tomadoes

family of nations to feel the shock of political turmoil that, like a great wave, seemed to lar every continent of the world, overturning amient barriers, and sometimes putting a new face upon old landmarks. It, is not (worth while in these fugitive leaves to discuss whether resistance to established authority be permissible under any circumstances; but it appears that at the period mentioned a young man of extraordinary ability was an aspirant at the University of Quong-tung for literary honors. These things are bought and sold in China, and as only a limited number can be conferred every three years, it happens that the wealthy undergraduates contrive through merits of golden eloquence, to outdistance the students whose sole merits are superiority of brains, a currency yery logically despised among a people thoroughly materialised. But plain Mr. Hung-Sintseun was destined to earn another title, no less than that of Emperor, the fountain of a certain, kind of distinction. Rejected unjustly from the arena of literary contest. he resolved to write essays with the point

bling. He kept his word to the letter! orp America. he was, nevertheless, aware: that western ideas were slowly filtering into the "middle kingdom," through the foreign ports pried open by the guns of Engand He resolved on a trip to Hongkong, where he learned that the religious doctors of the west taught the moral maxims that swayed the societies of Christendom. There he met, through the introduction of a fellow, villager from his native hamlet, the Rev. Imachar Roberts, an American missionary. sole envoy of the Seventh Day Baptist Board, In a few weeks he had read the himself delighted with the contents. The character of Moses seemed to him the most whose history he had perused. He would be Moses, Why should he not lead the Chinese nation from out the house of Man-

time the grim hand of poverty was upon him, and something must be done to ensure anbeistence. How could a disappointed scholar, wrapped up in visions, get money in the marte of commerce !. So he wended his way home to the family that loved him and the passants of his native town, who would still help him, at least, to exist. He arrived there one night, worn out with fatigue, regret and melancholy, embittered with the memories of the past and the hopeless future; raised by education to the rank of the great, and thrust by poverty to the depths of the toiling slave that accepts of v mere animal existence for the sake of exintended bright odd protect done re-

yel uHis arrival; however, was scarcely noticed but by his own immediate relatives, for a givery good reason. The year before, the " Mandaring had fleeced these quiet villagers toof their last dollar, and this year, the very Oday before, the myrmidens of authority had undemanded a still greater levy than before, and had threatened them with the military above the mouth of the Yang-tse river, on reign signified reception, than a clash of the structures mutilated by injuries, or altered hundred miles from its source in the most dismal and outrageous sounds echoed by disease, it is difficult to come to any dein it more, than the value of their property in no sum-total were not forthcoming instantly. grace. Everything had been sold that could mountains of Thibet; ranges of lofty hills from the orchestra outside the palace. We: finite conclusion. In some cases mutilabe disposed of not a ring, bracelet or nearly surround it, while the soil and were now admitted by a side door, as the tions have been practised for a vast numeitheld's but the sum demanded was far, very delightful parts of the empire. As our passage of majesty. On entering the great result. Godron has remarked that differ faff from being made up, and the villagers stately vessel neared the city, instead hall, we could hardly express an exclamation entraces of mon have from time imprime of surprise. The immense apartment, as rial knocked out their upper incisors, out - soldiers of China are but bandits, and their nresence is the signal for outrage and deatruction without remedy.

The next day the hamlet was a heap of ruins; the crops destroyed, and the pea- serted. A few wretched hovels built on in rows, were carved vases of crystal is no reason whatever to suppose that these Isuseholar, now beggared in every sense but istence of human life, on a spot that once inlaid with gold in the most beautiful tive generations must have been thus pitone flung himself into the midst of the

liviter this vow! We will march on to the found horses already saddled for our con- floor, while the countless tables were loaded which has been practised for so many ages, proprincial city of Yan nynan, and either directrangle the monster who has thus driven value to despair, or we will leave our bones vates of the Tai-ping capital, more than six bably through Russia, from France. The Germany Jews are often born in a condited there as a witness to Heaven of our hatred miles distant, though we might have enter innumerable lauterns that hung from the tion rendering circumcision difficult, so that It to tyranny and as our protest against the evidecree that configns the virtuous and the thelpless as the victims of infamous oppresand atrocious cruelty, into the iron hand of prescriptious power. " han with

These words fell upon wars but too ready to listen. As these villagers sallied forth from their desecrated homes others joined them, till they reached the walls of Yannypan The shock was terrific, but the mercenary soldiery met an unarmed foe. them how much more terrible a wronged nothing in other countries to compare it art of enamelling has never been found out be due to mere coincidence. Nevertheless. array. The slaughter was fearful, but the route lay along the city wall, on the banks as though it had never been known. And rities, such a long list of inherited injuone course was open to the victorious re- like a heap of variegated minerals. This

they sgain met the Imperial army, and so mother, as we read on the marble tablet merely rinsed each article, one by one, in a two sons were micropthalmic on the same nutterly routed them that after so signal a half boried in the ruins, and standing like huge earthern ware tub of water, a second side. In all such cases, if truthfully reportpetency of their leaders, the remnant joined of the spot. In a fit of lunacy flat pingylacovertlirowing the monarch of three bundred rior rise up from its spire, threatening the

the finest provinces of Ohina, plundering the and the finest structure ever erected in evolopulent ciries that line the banks of the China reduced to a heap of ruine, still at-Tang-tse, till, on the nineteenth of March, tractive to the traveller from the countless 1883, just two years to a day from the capture of Yan-nyhan, was proclaimed Emperor of China plain Mr. Hung, the

who dwell with an absolute passion upon lings for the future of their usurped governthe memories of the past. Its Univer ment with told our auditors that is a remarkable echo; repesting with persity held the highest, rank for learning, and their own machinity, the suspected into correct elegance in the issue of princely mity of their leader, their wanton destruct unseen voice. As we islowly returned to editions of the classic literature of the tion of life and property, and total inability the head quarters of our host, we learned country. The religious monuments of this to provide their countrymen with a better antique city were on the same scale of costly system of government than that of the aplendor. The porcelain tower, whose Tartara, had turned the scale of European magnificence described in the school books of opinion against them, and that there was that as their leader had also rigorously our the children of Christendom, was in keep- now no hope from that quarter. The Enging with the metropolitan glories of the old capital, which the people venerated with

a respect that Russians like to show toward Moscow: for to this day no Chinese feels that regard for Pekin, the home of their Tartar masters, that the Muscovites make show of expressing for St. Petersburg. The new Emperor on being crowned took the title of .. Tai ving-wang." Deacofu Emperor," and appointing eight of his most trusty officers as princes, to govern tade his immediate orders, retired to his sumptuous palace, there to work out his in comparative retirement, and plan out the future eventualities of his reign. A hundred millions of subjects acknowledged

troops were at his beck and nod. The Tartar dynasty seemed doomed. weak monarch sat in Pekin, the debauched victim of the opium pipe, while Lord Elgin was battering down the gates of his capital and the French were burning his most magnificent palace, and Christian barbarians of his sword ... He would one day trace the graceful characters of his language in blood, were reducing to a heap of ashes the finest and the haughty officials that had dared to library ever collected in his empire. The despise his scholarship to day should one | spathy of the Tartar forces was easy to day read his decrees with fear and tremunderstand; disheartened by overwhelming. disasters, in a country at once torn into Knowing little and caring less for Europe | fragments by civil war, and trampled under the mailed foot by an invading host, a spark of energy on the part of Tai-pingwang would have placed the poor student upon a throne that would have dazzled

But the stupor of the Tartars seemed to have also paralyzed the Tai-pings. One of those unforeseen providences, or chances, that the historian can but recount with amazement, occurred to change the whole His mind was made up. In the mean wasted in the composition of edicts, beneath shown by an aristocracy of parvenus. marshal their forces, and above all secure the alliance of the great allied powers of Europe, at whose tomplete mercy the crown it Chinese or Tartar. Such was the position of affairs when the writer in 1864 visited Nan-kin at the express invitation of rebel princes. of put i showed or the fine if

mustante, before peaceful farmers, were now either side of the city most, which winds and the precious jade stone, (so highly mutilations have ever been inherited. Addesperate with a fury that nothing but like a considerable stream around one side valued by the Chinese) some of them hesions due to inflammation and pits from movengeance could satiate. Hung, the poor of the city, were all that denoted the ex- five feet high. Gongs of solid silver the small-pox (and formerly many consequweeping and outraged crowd of his towns- ing in a small open boat which had been filled with the richest silks, cases of I have been assured, by three medical men High Heaven! cried he, regis sent from shore for our accommodation, we pearly and precious stones littered the men of the Jewish faith, that circumcision. gates at the river side been walled up with had or could have produced, while the fursolid mesonry. The wall surrounding this niture of the hall, principally chairs trees must have borne galls from primeyal whose stern sense of wrong soon taught of granite, lime stone and brick. There is taste that proved its great age, for the real appear spontaneously, all such cases may may become than a battle set in with but the pyramids of Egypt, Our of China, and now the art is as utterly lost Dr Prosper Lucas has given, on good author insulted peasantry completely defeated the of the moat, which had evidently been dug all this valuable lumber we were told was ries, that it is difficult to disbelieve them. military, and before sunset the heads of not only as an obstacle to attack, but had stowed there for want of room. We had Thus, a cow that had lost a horn from an the rapacious Mandarins were hanging on furnished the material for brick in the conthe city walls in expiration of their crimes. truetion of the mighty wall. As we turn dings, when the Imperial servants entered, duced three calves which were hornless, on After the first flush of victory came sober ed to enter the gate, on our right, beyond bearing the golden rice bowls, and table the same side of the head. With the horse, reflection. Every participant in the in- the stream at our feet, arose a high hill, utensile of majesty. They were all of beat there seems hardly a doubt that bony exos. sprrection had forfeited his life, and only oid of vegetation, and glittering in the sun volutionists, and that was to face the legions was all that remained of the porcelain tower of the Manchou Emperor, and either defeat that the Chinese were so proud of us the them, or be cut to pieces. Mr Hung felt perfection of costly taste, illustrating, as it that he was already launched upon his did, their ca dinal doctrine of filial fiety service was immensely more coatly, and of and his sons had the same fluger on the irretriavable carrer, and boldly counselled It had been erected in 1411 at a cost of an incredible number of pieces, enough same hand similarly crocked. A soldier, With the arms found in the captured city token of honor and respect to his beloved ceremony was simple enough, one servant left eye from purulent ophthalmia, and his Wild Pigeons, defeat, which was attributed to the incom- weentinel over the melancholy devastation received the cleansed vessel and kneping ed, in which a parent has had an organ in- Live Pish. the ranks of the insurgents. Then it was wang had commanded the destruction of Hung assumed the title Tear-te," Heavenly this magnificent work, in consequence of a Virtue, and opely avowed his purpose of dream in which he beheld an armed warmillions of men. His victorious hordes laugust dresurer with a naked sword." The viii mahed like an avalanche through the next day it was blown up with gampowder.

ed elephants, lions and dragens, that cover the spot for many acres. Arrived at last under the "imperial abaliterary honors, in Nan-Kin, the ancient dow," our hosts, the "princes," who, (to their credit be it is said) had arisen from The master of this important city could the ranks of the Coolies, received us with a claim the Imperial title by a right that no kind cordiality that did not concess from us the plough) and a dismantled vault for the injuries and mutilations, especially when Chinaman could cuestion. It had been for the anxiety that seemed to oppress them. ages the test of the native dynasties. Its They were eager for flows, and questioned public buildings were, though now in us with solicitude in the subject of public depay, monuments of past splender, dear to opinion in their regard among English and masonry, apparently now as firm as it was cation, by U. Darwin,

French, that showed clearly their forebod on that spring, morning when the master already fallen, and nothing could how save them but a campaign compared to which their former force and energy would be but

It was painful to observed the ill-concealed emotion of these hardy wairiors at this dreadful intelligence, confirming their worst anticipations.

As by this time night had far advanced, our hosts promised to answer all our questions on the morrow, when we were to see. all that remained of the glories of Nan-kin, and learn, as far as prudence permitted, the internal workings of the Tai-ping system. sway, and a powerful army that had beas displayed at the head-quarters of the come accustomed to beat the imperialist leader, who claimed no less than inspiration as the source of his doctrines, and even proclaimations regulating the daily administration of the city he called his capital.

The next day and those following we had ample opportunity of looking about us, and gaining information. A visit to the Taiformer polished Nan-kinese.

The palace disappointed us. Instead being a noble structure of simple splendor, betokening a sovereign still militant in a ruined and desolate land, we found an immense series of flimsy built rooms roofed course of events. The peasant that had in the tent style a la chinoise, and enclosed raised himself from the dung-kill to the by a high wall excluding the least view of diadem, either turned giddy at his elevation, the interior, the whole danbed over with a or what is more likely, became orazed by coarse yellow wash. The grand entrance the tremendous yentures he had made as was however as splendid as gilding timed, well as the appalling responsibilities now and paint bould make it. Gilden dragous, elevated; and holy of any of the worthies upon him, to win the great game of master flowers and arabetque altogether made up a cossful. ing one-third of the human race. For ten sight, precisely similar to the scene paintgolden years he trifled with fortune with ling of a second-rate theatre, and the whole the childishness of an idiot. Days, months feffect produced seemed to remind the and years were passed and more than beholder of the unoultivated taste usually the intellect of an intelligent boy. He linely executed map, drawn on silk, of the declared himself brother of Jesus Christ, Tai ving territories, hung up on the right commanded the instant allegiance of all the of the vestibule, while on a painted archsovereigns of the earth in his mandates, and way was inscribed "All men come here instead of taking the field, amused his to adore." Underneath this was a whole dunacy in applying abusive epithets to his piece of yellow satin of many yards in GATIVES. "Now, Mrs. Bradford, I always endinies, calling them imps and demona! length, upon which were inscribed the latest likes to have an old fashioned talk with the His chiefs were becoming alienated and his proclamations of the Emperor, written by lady I lives with before I begins. I'm aw people soon wearied of his imperial non his own hand, and by no means remarkable ful tempered, but I'm dreadful forgivin' sense. A crisis was evidently at hand that | for literary elegance. Though our arrival | Have you a good kitchen range, hot and cold boded no good to the Taipings, who had had been announced before hand, the guar- water, stationary tubs, oilcloth on the floor. given their enemies ample opportunity to dians of the "sacred portal" refused to ad- dumb waiters ?"-Then follows her self mit us till his majesty had finished "eating planned programme for the week: "Monrice," when we should be permitted to enter day I washes. I'se to be let alone that the reception room of the palace, and be- day. Tuesday I irons. Nobody's to come of China was held, be the head that wore hold the august ceremony of washing the near me that day. Wednesday I bakes. Imperial dishes. This was an honor re- I'se to be let alone that day. Thursday I served only for distinguished visitors, and picks up the house. Nobody's to come near

fragments of fictile att, in the shape of gildas nature went, were countless granite sta- eminent physiologist bred a large number tiles of distinguished statesmen, tamels and of guinea-pigs from animals which had not elephants. A high hill had been chosen for been operated on, and not one of these the last resting place of the founder of the manifested the epileptic tendency. On the family. (who had risen to the throne from whole, we can hardly avoid admitting that princes his descendants. The hill is pierced followed by disease, or perhaps exclusively through by an ascent to the summit exactly when thus followed, are occasionally inhelike a railroad tunnel, cased with solid rited, -Animals and Plants under Domesti-

outside the walls

that the Tai-ping policy had ever been but. ed upon sepatriotin desire of quesing the the Tartar usurpation from the country, but ried out his determination of burning the lish had alroady taken the field against heathen temples and murdering their them, Soo-Chow, the key of Nankin, had priests, their whole cause had been jaopar He went over, prozed the will, and after dized, through superstition. It was further getting possession of the property, returned stated that as the Chinese are not a fighting people, utter/sdestruction of agricultural and commercial pursuits was foundate) be their claims. Those sent in were promptly a necessity, in order to force the people in- met, and it has been shown that the insolthe svils of this desperate policy, all sup- to satisfy those who had either forgotten plies were held in common, money traf- that he owed them money or that he existfic was avoided, while the territories still ed; ... He managed, after a vast amount of remaining ninder Tartar domination should trouble, to pay all his depts except £80, be held as ever ready to be pillaged-neces and then came to Melbourne and for the sity acting as a spur to force the soldiery to first time since the period of his insolvency constant action. The apparent desertion communicated with his assigned Mr. Jaof the capital was owing to the absence of comb. Heinformed him of whathe had done, Bix of the commanding princes now in the mentioned that he had come into some profield at a distance, who were however acting party, not specifying the amount, and asked without concert, and of course wanting in what his expenses had been. The assignee that unity of combination alone possible said £10, and this amount was immediately under an accomplished and respected head. paid. On Mr. Babtie's applying for his The melancholy tones in which this infor- certificate, however, he was met with a mation was given, the overwhelming sadness | claim .put forth by Mr. Jacqmb for £300, which presses upon the mind in the midst being his commission at 5 per cent on the ping palace was proposed, and thither we of desolation and decay, made us feel glad 26000 he had gained on his father's death. went. On our way we discovered that when our last adieus were said and we part- Naturally enough he objected to pay this Nan-kin futt. Ruins blocked up all but ed from Choong-wong and Kan-wong for amount, and it would seem that by so do-the principal streets, rendering the services ever. We had hardly time to reach an ing he will involve himself in an interminthe southern provinces, whose very dialect the abyssinian King Theodore, died by his ly to discharge every sixpence of his debts. so suicides. Our friends the "princes" had to as much as his original liabilities. Perescaped, and one of them is now in a south- haps in framing his new bill the Attorneyern province still defying the Tarter, while General will make a note of this case, and the other is reported to have died of disap- give a discretionary power to the Commispointment and shame.

or an enthusiast? We say he was not a a rogue he could have got his cer tificate Napoleon, First or Third !-only, not suc- years ago .- Age.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

A DEFORMED man, on his arrival at a provincial town, was asked what place he had come from. "Straight from London," was the reply. "Then," said the inquirer, you must have got terribly twisted on the

AN AMERICAN SERVANT GIRL'S PREBOthe princes assured us that this was all the me to day. Friday I goes to the city. Noundoubtedly the two most distinguished personal intercourse they had ever been body's to come near me that day. Saturday warriors in the Tai-ping ranks, Choong-permitted to hold with "majesty" for I bakes, and Saturday afternoon my beau wong and Kan-wong, two of the eight many years past. The Imperial band did comes to me. A obody comes near me that

ebel princes.

Natikin lies nearly two hundred miles perial repast, but no sooner had the sove- THE INHERITANCE OF MUTILATED STRUC-Chinese port or a military station, noth- gaudily decorated as the entrance vestibule, off joints of their fingers, made holes of iming was to be seen but frowning ram was literally grammed with precious objects mense size through the lobes of their ears. parts, and fortifications bristling with looted from Socolow, and the wealthy cities or through their nostrils, made deep gashes cannon, but otherwise apparently de- of the richest regions of China. Standing in various parts of their bodies, and there contained a million of inhabitants. Land- manner, chests (some of them open) ted) are inherited. With respect to Jews, veyance, and a guide to conduct us to the with European arms of the finest make, has produced no inherited effect; Blumen balace of the "Shield prince," inside the heaped up amid coatly clocks imported pro- bach, on the other hand, asserts that in ed the city in ten minutes, had not the ceiling were the finest that Chinese art a name is there applied to them signifying enormous city is one of the marvels of this and tables, was of solid abony clabe- times, yet they do not produce inherite dexcountry; an oblong square in form, its cir rately carved, and a kind of precious crescences; many other such facts could be cumference extends for thirty miles, fifty wood lacquered in various colors, and adduced. On the other hand, various other feet high, and as many in thickness, though predominating. In the centre stood a cases have been recorded of cate, dogs, and at the gateways the diameter is much great- gigantic censer for burning perfumes of the horses, which have had their tails, legs, dc. er owing to the embrasures and bastions choicest discription. It was a fac simile of amputated or injured, producing offspring constructed to defend them against an at- the Nan-kin tower, but encrusted with en- with the same parts ill-formed; but as it is tacking foe. All this was in solid masonry amel, and solid gold ornaments, all in a not at all rare for similar malformations to ten gold of such rude workingaship as still toses, on the legs caused by too much trato show the hammer marks of the gold- velling on hard rouds, are inherited. Blusmith's tools. They were about a dozen in | menbach records the case of a man who had number and of great weight, though we his little fluger on the right hand out off. were told that Tai-ping wang's "solemn" and which, in consequence, grew crooked, \$3,000,000 by the Emperor Young lo, as a for a hundred guests." The "washing" fifteen years before his marriage, lost his Rice Birds, count, handed it to another, who gravely jured on one side, and more than one child noted down the transaction in a book, has been born with the same organ affected They all then retired, when we did the on the same side, the chances against the stone, as we had snother expedition on foot mere comordence are enormous. But, per--a visit to the tombs of the Ming dynasty haps, the most remarkable and trustworthy fact is that given by Dr Brown Sequard. Only four centuries had clapsed since namely that many young guinea-pigs inheathese sepulchies of the last Chinese dynasty rited an epileptic tendency from parents had been erected, and yet all were ruins as which had been subjected to a particular Small far as the eye could reach; all that remain operation, including in the course of a few ed of magnificent temples, that once adorn- weeks a convulsive disease like epilepsyed the spot, still exquisitely beautiful so far and it should specially be noted that this

Shark Fish,

A HARD CASE --- A rather peculiar case is just how cocupying the attention, of the Turbot. Melbourne Insolvent Courting In 1861, Ap. Garnet. insolvent samed Babtiefiled his schedule, which showed; liabilities to the extend of about \$800. He was a resident of Chilterus andereceived one wisit-from his assignee's agent after heblieds him schedule any cars passed away, and in 1867 he received news Salmon, Pickled. of his father's death in Tasmania, and that under his will be had become possessed of property acknowledged to be worth £6,000. to his home at Chiltern, and advertised for creditors under his old insolvency to put in to the ranks of the revolution. To obviate went put himself to great trouble in order inhabitants that once peopled these desert. time under Tartar rule. No quarter was ruin The set justly gives the assignee ed thoroughfares had vanished, and scarcely asked or shown. At last the disheartened power over the property of an uncertificatsioner to prevent the persecution of an inthe story of the Emperor-peasant as we has used his every endeavour to see his creable man of our day mad, demented, a fool, to legal formalities. Had Mr. Babtie been

of villainous looking soldiers, natives of came history. The rebel "Emperor," like where a man has shown a disposition honest-i Chilies, Dried, would have been unintelligible to the own hand, midst a beyy of his concubines, al- he should be met by a claim which amounts Garlie. - -Such was Nan-kin as we saw it, and such solvent when it is clearly proved that he Green Onions, learned it from his tried and trusty friends. ditors paid to the last farthing, even if in Turnips, What will history say? was this remark- paying them he acted without due regard Cucumbers. Egg Plant, -Water Cross. . . Mushroom, Dried, -Okras, -HONGKONG MARKET PRICES. English Turnips. Radishes. Saturday, January 2nd, 1869. Green Sprouts, At 1300 Cash per Dollar Mexican. Mandarin Oranges, THESE MUST BE CONSIDERED EXTREME Coolie Oranges. Highest Lowest Pineapples, -Pumeloes. Butcher Meat. Pears, Canton. Lichees, Dried, Plums. Bullocks Brains, omegranate. Plantains, -Wompees, --Chestnuts. . . Feet, Tripe (undressed), c.ty 60 Mangosteens, Ceanuts. l'amarinda, -Fat for Lard, Almonds. -. Currents. 40 Raisins. 90 Bunanas. Feet, -Head: Loo Peaches 100 Musk Melons. 350 Water Grapes. 240 Strawberries. Nankin Pears, Peking Pears, -Common Pears. -Sheeps' Head and Feet. Winter Pears, bround Nuts. Hazel-nuts, American .. -English. -Kidaeya, Bullocka Slicens Heart, -Plums, Water. . . gs' Hoart, 290 Custard Apples. oata Meat 330 300 Rose Apples, .. Head and Feet, set. Mulberries, Sugar Cane,

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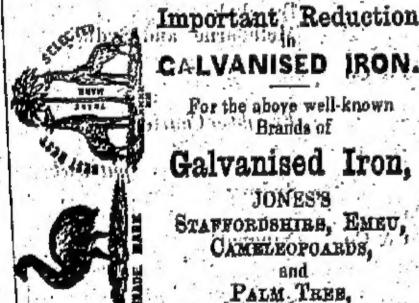
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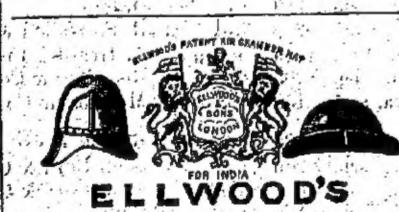


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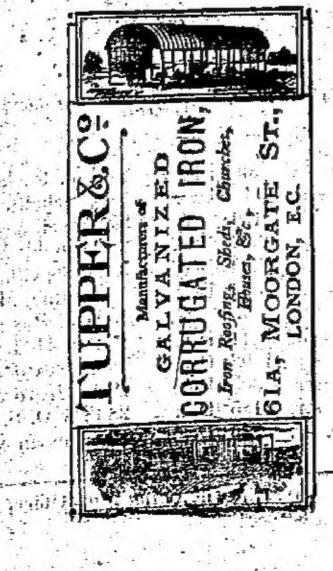
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